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THE NEW ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION, LIMITED.

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No. 8690

SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS.

October 28, Foorsane, British steamer, 990

HONGKONG, THURSDAY, OCTOBER 29Th, 1886.

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INSURANCES.

THE STRAITS INSURANCE COMPANY

LUM SIN SANG, Esq.

The Company GRANTS POLICIES on

MARINE RISKS to all parts of the World,

Contributory Dividends are payable to all

Contributors of Business, whether they are

Hongkong, 14th March, 1881.

payable at any of its Agencies.

HEAD OFFICE.

No. 2. Queen's Road West,

CHAN LI CHOY, Esq. Q. HOI CHUNE, Esq.

PUSTAU & Co.

MELCHERS & Co.

COMPANY AT HAMBURG

SURANCES to the extent of \$65,000, on first-

Hongkong, 27th March, 1876.

YOW CHONG PENG, EBQ.

WOO LIN YUEN,

Secretary.

MARIA FARINA.

STEEL PENS

Parts, 1878.

Sold by all

Stationers and Dealers.

Hongkong, 2nd July, 1885.

W. G. HUMPHREYS & Co.,

EDAL

Bank Buildings.

Solo Agents for China

GILLOTTS



LIMITED. N EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the VICTORIA RECREA-SINGAPORE. Hogg, Whampon 28th October, General. Authorised Capital£2,000,000. THE Steamship THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Company, are pro-JARDINE, MATHESON & Co. TION CLUB will be held TO-MORROW (FBI-YEAR CARDS. "MASSALIA," DAY), the 30th instant; at 5 P.M., in the October 28, Peking, British steamer, 985, Capt. G. Petersen, having arrived from the above pared to GRANT POLICIES on MARI Registered Office, 40, THREADNEEDLE STREET, GYMNASIUM to consider certain Financial Heuermann, Whampon 28th October, Ge-Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed RISKS to all parts of the World, at current T ANE, CRAWFORD & Co. Matters connected with the forthcoming Rethat their Goods are being landed and stored LONDON. neral.—Stemssen & Co. at their risk into the Godowns of the Under-NEW STOCK greatly surpasses that of any ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co. October 28, Cameiar, British steamer, 1,050, J.: Branches in India, China, Japan J. H. STEWART LOCKHART, signed, whence and/or from the Wharves o Hongkong, 5th November, 1883. Daily, Singapore 20th October, General. - previous year. This Season's parcel includes AND THE COLONIES. Boats delivery may be obtained. Hon. Secretary. UN FIRE OFFICE. Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless Hongkong, 23rd October, 1885. Bun Hin & Co. THE BANK receives money on Deposit, notice to the contrary 'e given before I P.M. some of the most artistic production of England Buys and Sells Bills of Exchange, issues October 28, Massalia, German stoamer, 1,263, CANTON INSURANCE OFFICE, The Undersigned are prepared from this date TO-DAY, the 28th in the to GRANT POLICIES against FIRE at the Cargo remaining and investigations. Letters of Credit, forwards Bills for Collection, G. Petersen, Hamburg 11th September, and America, and for beauty and delicacy of LIMITED. Cargo remaining unlinvered after the 4th and Transacts Banking and Agency Business Port Said, Suez, Penang 18th October, and finish, cannot be equalled. Reduced Tariff Rates to the exte t of \$50,000 | November, will be subject to rent. NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS. generally on terms to be had on application. Singapore 21st, General.—Siemssen & Co. on First-class Risks. No Claims will be admitted after the Goods. LINSTEAD . DAVIS, INE FOURTH ORDINARY GENERAL CLAIMS ON THE ORIENTAL BANK October 28, DANUBE, British steamer, 561, Geo. Speciality. have left our Godowns. MEETING OF SHAREHOLDERS A small Assortment of the above, in very No Fire Insurance has been effected. CORPORATION PURCHASED ON Anderson, Bangkok 18th October, Rice .-will be held at the Offices of the Undersigned at ADVANTAGEOUS TERMS. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by Sun Fire Office. chaste and unique designs, specially painted to YUEN FAT HONG. Hongkong, 12th May, 1881. 12 O'CLOCK (NOON), on SATURDAY, the 31st SIEMSSEN & Co., H. A. HERBERT, October 28, Ashington, British steamer, 809, order of Lane, Crawford & Co. October instant. Manager, Hongkong Branch. Agents. NORTH BRITISH AND MERCANTILE The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company Hongkong, 6th July, 1885. Hongkong, 28th October, 1885. C. S. Hepworth Shanghai 25th October. INSURANCE COMPANY. Each Card will be enclosed in a suitable will be CLOSED from the 17th to the 31st General.—SIEMSSEN & Co. THE CHINA SHIPPERS MUTUAL Envelope, to protect it from damage, in transit IL TONGKONG & SHANGHAIBANKING | instant, both days inclusive. October 28, QUARTA, German steamer, 733, T WHE Undersigned, Agents of the above Com-STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, JARDINE MATHESON & Co. CORPORATION. through the Post. The above are now on view. pany, are authorized to INSURE against T. Kock, Chefoo 22nd October, General. LIMITED. General Agents. An inspection is invited. IRE at Current Rates. CAPTAIN. Canton Insurance Office, Limited. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. GILMAN & Co. RESERVE FUND Hongkong, 10th October, 1885. October 28, Nanshan, British steamer, 805, J Hongkong, 1st January 1882. 26 RESERVE FOR EQUALIZATION OF ? Hongkong, 21st October, 1885. FROM LONDON AND SINGAPORE. 500,000. Blackbourne, Bangkok 20th October, Gene-DIVIDENDS FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, OF 1877 BREWER has just received. ral.-Hop Hing Hong. THE Company's Steamship RESERVE LIABILITY OF PRO-7.500,000. HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK IN HAMBURG. October 28, San Pablo, American str., 2,112, PRIETORS COMPANY, LIMITED. New Stock of this Sesson's Christmas Cards. having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees HE Undersigned, Agents of the above E. C. Reed, San Francisco 3rd October, and CHIPMASTERS AND ENGINEERS are of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods New American Christmas Cards. COURT OF DIRECTORS :-Company, are Prepared to ACCEPT Yokohama 23rd, General.—O. & O. S. S. respectfully informed that, if upon their RISKS at Current Rates. are being landed at their risk and expense, into Chairman-Hon. F. D. Sassoon. Original Native Christmas Cards with Pidarrival in this Harbour, none of the Company's Deputy Chairman-A. McIver, Esq. the Godowns of the Undersigned, at Wanchai, PUSTAU & Co., whence delivery can be obtained.

No claims will be admitted after the Goods L. Dalrymple, Esq. E. E. Sassoon, Naq. W. H. Forbes, Esq. Foremen should be at hand, orders for repairs if gin English Mottoes. H. Hoppins, Esq. CLEARANCES. sent to the HEAD OFFICE, No. 14, Praya Hongkong, 18th January, 1884 Original Photographic Christmas Cards. M. Grote, Esq. Hon. W. Keswick C. D. Bottomley, Esq. have left the Godowns, and all Ctaims must be THE SCOTTISH ORIENGAL STEAM-Central, will receive prompt attention. AT THE HARBOUR MASTER'S OFFICE. A. P. MoEwon, Esq. SINGAPORE INSURANCE sent into the Office of the Undersigned before COMPANY, LIMITED NOON on the 30th instant on their will not be In the event of complaints being found These latter are the most appropriate Cards 28th October. CHIEF MANAGER. necessary, communication with the Undersigned COMPANY, LIMITED. NOON on the 30th instant, or they will not be VINHE Company's Steamer to send to Europe, each Card contains 40 Ashington, British str., for Whampon. Hongkong-Thomas Jackson, Esq. is requested, when immediate steps will be taken recognised. HEAD OFFICE-SINGAPORE. views in miniature of familiar Eastern Achilles, B ish str., for Amoy. MANAGER. No Fire Insurance has been effected, and any to rectify the cause of dissatisfaction. Shanghai-Ewen Cameron, Esq. Scenes, and appropriate Christmas Mottoes. Goods remaining in the Godowns after the 30th Activ, Date ... str., for Haiphong. We are prepared to GRANT POLICIES D. GILLIES. LONDON BANKERS-LONDON & COUNTY BANK. against FIRE on usual Terms at Current Elsa, Gorman str , for Haiphong. inst., will be subject to rent. Letts's Diaries and Date Blocks. Optional Cargo will be forwarded, unless ber at DAYLIGHT. 1549 Rates. All Contributors of Business whether Hongkong, 26th August, 1885. Fooksang, British str., for Shanghai. HONGKONG-INTEREST ALLOWED. Shareholders or not are entitled to Share in TO-DAY. Smith's Diaries and Date Blocks. notice to the contrary be given before 5 P.M., THE HARDEN "STAR" HAND Continental, Amr. ship, for Guam. On Current Deposit Account at the rate of Champion undersown Tennis Balls \$4.50 doz. the Bonus. per cent. per Annum on the daily balance. Germania, British str., for Shanghai. GRENADE FIRE EXTINGUISHER. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by ADAMSON, BELL & Co., Champion Extra Strong Sewn \$3.75 dozen. Or Fix a Deposits :--ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co., For Smonth of mer Cent. per Annum. Agents. FIGHE Undersigned, having just arrived, is Ludies' Tennis Shoes. Hongkong, July, 1885. DEPARTURES. For 6 mon! . per Cent. per Annum. A prepared to fill all Orders for the above Hongkong, 22nd October, 1885. Gentlemen's Tennis Shoes. October 28, CARL BOHN, German schooner, for TEW YORK LIFE INSURANCE For 12 months 5 per Cent, per Annum. GRENADE. It is the Chespest, Simplest, and Travelling Stationery Cases. Touron. LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED. TOCONSIGNEES OF OFTIONAL CARGO COMPANY. Best Known New Music for Violin and Piano. CREDITS granted on approved Securities, and October 28, VESPASIAN, British steamer, for EX O. S.S. CO.'S S.S. "ACHILLES." LIFE ASSURANCE ONLY every description of Banking and Exchange FIRE EXTINGUISHER IN THE WORLD, Boxing Gloves. Newchwang. FROM LIVERPOOL. Purely mutual; all profits belong to Policyhaving been used in England and America business transacted. October 28, NAUTILUS, Austrian gunboat, for holders and apportionments are made annually. DRAFTS granted on London; and the chief with the greatest success for the past year, CHIPPING Orders must be obtained from the commercial places in Europe, India, Australia, and having extinguished over 800 Acqual Fires, ZELLY AND WALSH, LIMITED. STATEMENT FOR YEAR ENDING Singapore. Undersigned not later than the 29th inst., 31st December, 1884. October 28, BEN. SEWALL, Amr. ship, for New. HAVE JUST RECEIVED. for shipment per steamer "TELAMON." T. JACKSON, Chief Manager. Proctor's How to play Whist. thereby saving millions of dollars worth of Accumulated Funds BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents.£12,127,930 York. Reed's Engineer's Galde, 11th Edition-Hongkong, 24th August, 1885. Surplus over all liabilities October 28, KASHGAR, British e'r., for Y'hama: Hongkong, 27th October, 1885. greatly enlarged. These GRENADES are sold at \$16.00 per case and Reserve Fundaccord-October 28, DIAMANTE, Brit ... for Amoy. £ 2,036,332, NOTICE. Lawn Tonnis Annual. OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. ing to valuation made by (of one dozen each, and no Grenades sold less October 28, YANGTSZE, Brit. . . . for Shang-Nautical Almanack, 1886 and 1887. the Government..... DULES OF THE HONGKONG than dozen Lots. Colomb's Dangers of Modern Rule of the MYONSIGNEES per Company's Steamer Income for year 1884..... ... £ 2,846,245 Send all orders to SAVINGS BANK. Road at Sea. C. SETON LINDSAY, October 28, Cousins Arbib, British str., for " ACHILLES. Marryatt's Works-Handy Vol. Ed. in case. are hereby notified that the Cargo is being dis-E. CLARK, Res. Manager, 1.—The business of the above Bank will be Handy Volume Shakspeare in case. charged into Craft, and/or landed at the Hongkong Hotel. Department of the East. conducted by the Hongkong and Shanghai October 28, FOOKSANG, British str., for Shang-Leech's Pictures from Punch-Complete Set Hongkong, 22nd September, 1885. Godowns of the Undersigned; in both cases it BIRLEY, DALRYMPLE & Co., Banking Corporation, on their premises in Thomson's Domestic Medicine. will lie at Consignees' risk. The Cargo will be Hongkong. Business hours on week-days, 10 An Indispensable Adjunct to Every Agents, Hongkong. Chestermans's Steel Pocket Measures - French ready for delivery from Craft or Godown on __ DESK IN THE FAR EAST. to 3; Saturdays, 10 to 1. and English Measurements. PASSENGERS. and after the 28th inst. 2.—Sums less than \$1, or more than \$250 at Sets Engineer's Card Board Divided Scales. Goods undelivered after the 3rd Proxime. NGLO-CHINESE DESK THE LONDON ASSURANCE ARBIVED. one time will not be received. No depositor Hand Reading Guesses. will be subject to Rent. CALENDAR Per Camelot, str., from Singapore.—390 Chi-Photos of Dragon Procession and the New may deposit more than \$2,500 in any one year. INCORPORATED BY ROYAL CHARTER OF HIS BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents. FOR 1886, 3.-Depositors in the Savings Bank having Chinese Ironelad Showing the Day of Week, Day of Month Hongkong, 27th October, 1885. MAJESTY KING GEORGE THE FIRST. Per Massalia, str., from Hamburg, &c.-Mrs: \$100 or more at their credit may at their option New Stock of Photo Albums. and corresponding Day of Chinese Moon in transfer the same to the Hongkong and Shang A.D. 1720. and Miss Hauschild, Mrs. and Master Grobien, FROM LONDON, PENANG, AND Hints on Business-Financial and Legal. parallel columns in BLACK and RED. Mrs. Kretschmar and child, Mr. Schmidt, Misses hai Banking Corporation on fixed deposit for Manual of Military Law. THE Undersigned having been appointed SINGAPORE. Reimers, Frankenfeld and Schröder. From 12 months at 5 per cent. per annum interest. New Menn and Guest Cards. THE Steamship The Handiest, and most complete CALENDAR Agents for the above Corporation, are 4.-Interest at the rate of 33 per cent. per Singapore. - Miss Dennies, and Mr. Sierich. Quantities of New Cheap Portable Novels. invented. In neat imitation Morrocco Case, prepared to grant Insurances as follows:annum will be allowed to Depositors on their with CALENDAR for 1836 on Back. Per Danube, str., from Bangkok.—8 Chinese. Lett's Disries and Date Blocks. "GLENEAGLES" MARINE LATMENT. Per Nanshan, str., from Bangkok.—24 Chinese. daily balances. Shaksperian Date Blocks. having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees Policies at current rates, psyable either here, 5.—Each Depositor will be supplied gratis Per San Publo, str., from San Francisco, &c. Fragrant Streams Waltz, by Capt. Light-PRICE ONE DOLLAR. of Cargo by her are hereby informed that in London, or at the principal Ports of India, with a Pass Book, which must be presented with -Dr. J. Lang, and 795 Chinese. their Goods, with the exception of Opium, China, and Australia. each payment or withdrawal. Depositors must For Sale by New Collections of Music-Galaxy of are being landed at their risk into the Godowns FIRE DEPARTMENT. Song Song Folio-Four Hind Treasure not make any entries themselves in their Pass-MESSES. LANE, CRAWFORD & Co., REPORTS. of the Undersigned, whence and/or from the Policies issued for long or short periods at Books, but should send them to be written up MESSRS. KELLY & WALSH, LIMITED. -Gems of English Song-German Songs The British steamer Ashington reports left Wharves or Boats delivery may be obtained. -current rates. at least twice a year, about the beginning of Mr. W. BREWER. —Scotch Songs, &c., &c. Shanghai on the 25th October, and had fresh Optional cargo will in forwarded, unless LIFE DEPARTMENT. KELLE & WALSH, LD., HONGKONG. Hengkong, 14th-October, 1885, January and beginning of July. notice to the contra be given before N.E. winds and fine weather throughout. Policies issued for sums not exceeding £5;000 6.—Correspondence as to the business of the Noon, TO-DAY, the 22nd instant. ut reduced rates. Bank if marked On Hongkong Savings Bank IN THE SUPREME COURT OF The British steamer Nanshan reports left Cargo remaining undelivered after the 29th HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co. NOTICE. Business is forwarded free by the various Bangkok on the 20th October, and experienced HONGKONG. instant, will be subject to rent. Hongkong 26th July, 1872. British Post Offices in Hongkong and China. light winds and fine weather to Macclesfield; TOOR THE CONVENIENCE No Fire Insurance has been effected. IN BANKRUPTCY. 7.-Withdrawals may be made on demand thence strong N.E. winds with high sea to port. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by CALEDONIAN FIRE AND LIFE CUSTOMERS, the Productions of the but the personal attendance of the Depositor or JARDINE, MATHESON & Co. "CHINASUGAR REFINING COMPANY, LIMITED" INSURANCE COMPANY. NTOTICE.-KWOK, YIN KAI, of No. The British steamer Danube reports les his duly appointed Agent, and the production of can henceforward be obtained by RETAIL his Pass-Book are necessary. Hongkong, 22nd October, 1885. Bangkok on the 18th October, Double Head on FOR CASH, at No. 3, Peel Street, at the same . 4. Queen's Road West, Victoria, in the ESTABLISHED 1805. the 19th, 2 p.m. Rounded Pulo Obi 4 p.m., the Prices as at the REFINERY; or Retail Orders Colony of Hongkong, Merchant, having been For the Hongkong and Shanghai Bank adjudged a Bankrupt, under a Creditors' Poti-21st. Passed Cape Padaran at 6.30 a m., 23rd. FOR SALE. ING CORPORATION, THE Undersigned having been appointed will be delivered at addresses in town on applition for adjudication of Bankruptcy filed in the From Bangkok to Cape Varela experienced light T. JACKSON. Agents for the above Company are precants forwarding their monthly requirements Supreme Court of Hongkong, in Bankruptcy, Northerly winds and fair weather; thence to MHAMPAGNE "MONOPOLE, Chief Manager. pared to issue Policies of Insurance against Fire in writing direct to the Refinery at East Point. on the 21st day of September, 1885, is required port fresh N. and N.E. gales with high sea and Hougkong, 8th May, 1885. to surrender himself to ALERED GASCOYNE on the usual terms. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., HEIDSIECK & Co.-ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co. General Agents. Wise, Esquire, the Acting Registrar of the CHINA FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, The German steamer Massalia reports left Hongkong, January, 1882. Hongkong, 28th July, 1885. said Court, at the first MEETING of MONOPOLE Ran beat (medium dry), Hamburg on the 12th September, arrived at CREDITORS to be held before the said Acting LIMITED. THE PACIFIC MUTUAL LIFE INSUR-RED FOIL "SEC" (dry). TUITION. Port Said on 17th. Passed Suez 19th, arrived Registrar, on the 6th day of November, 1885, ANCE COMPANY OF CALIFORNIA. ADJUSTMENT OF BONUS FOR THE GOLD FOIL "DRY" (extra dry). at Penang 18th October, and left same day. R. WILLIAM SWEETMAN, Teacher at 11 O'CLOCK IN THE FORENCON precisely, at Arrived at Singapore 20th and left on the 21st of LANGUAGES, will be glad to receive his Chambers, in the Supreme Court House. YEAR 1884. THE POLICIES of the Company impose CARLOWITZ & Co., at 3 p.m. Across the Indian Ocean had light Publis. Under his new system Mr. SWEET-The said ALFRED GASCOYNE WISE is the no restriction upon Residence or Travel. SHAREHOLDERS are hereby requested to Official Assignee, and C. Ewens, of No. 45, send in to this Office a List of their Con-Queen's Road, is the Solicitor for the Petitionvar ble winds with fine weather. Up the China MAN can impart a fair knowledge of any Lower Rates and Better Returns offered Sole Agents for Heidsteck & Co., Reims. Sea, first part light winds with fine weather, European Language within three months. last two days strong N.E. monsoon with light Arrangements are now being made to form December last, in order that the proportion of All persons indebted to the said Bankrupt or than by any other Life Insurance Company For Hongkong, China, and the East. represented in this Colony. Profit for that year to be paid as Bonus to Con- who have any Property or Effects of his in their MR. SWEETMAN undertakes Translations A. HINZ. Hongkong, 1st July, 1885. tributors may be arranged. Returns not sent in possession, are hereby warned not to pay or VESSELS ARRIVED IN EUROPE FROM PORTS Agent for China and Japan. in all European Languages and offers his Serbefore the 30th November next, will be made up deliver the same except to the said Official IN CHINA, JAPAN, AND MANILA. Hongkong, 8th September, 1885. vices as Interpreter. FOR SALE, (Per last Mail's Advice.) by the Company, and no subsequent claims or Assignee.
At the DHENIX FIRE OFFICE. HAS. HEIDSIECK'S Terms strictly moderate. At the First Meeting of Creditors, the Re-.Ang. 20 Apply to Pembrokeshire (s.). Singapore. By Order of the Directors. gistrar will receive the proofs of the debts of the COLLEGE CHAMBERS, CHAMPAGNE, 1880, WHITE SEAL. The Undersigned are now prepared . JAS. B. COUGHTRIE. Creditors, and the Creditors, who shall have Ajax (s.) Shanghai .. Aug. 25 \$19 per case of 1 dezen quarts. FRANT POLICIES of INSURANCE against Wyndham Street Berenice (s.) Hongkong proved their debts respectively, or the majority Hongkong, 15th October, 1885. ..Aug. 26 \$20 per case of 2 dozen pints. FIRE at the following Rates:-Hongkong, 1st.October, 1885. Denbighshire (s.). . Yokohama . in value of them are hereby directed to choose at GRAND VIN CHATEAU LEOVILLE On First class European NOTICE Gordon Castle (s.). Yokohama such meeting an Assignee or Assignees of the \$21.....per case of 1 dozen quarts. HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE Bankrupt's Estate and Effects to be called the Autenor (s.) Foochow... COMPANY, LIMITED. CHATEAU LAROSE R. VITA begs to announce that on Creditors' Assignee or Assignees. \$12..... per case of 1 dozen quarts. November 1st he will open a Public & Merchandise stored. ADJUSTMENT OF BONUS FOR THE Titan (s.).....Shanghai Dated this 24th day of October, 1885. PONTET CANET. CLASS for DRAWING and PAINTING in thereinat ½ % Not per Annum. Director Hongkong YEAR 1884. CREASY EWENS. all branches-landscape, figures, ornamental, &c. On Coalsat 1 / Net per Annum.
On_Petroleum in li-\$9.50 per case of 1 dozen quarts. Bengloe (s.) Foockow... PALMER MARGAUX. CHAREHOLDERS in the above Company Mondays and Thursdays...for Boys. Glenorchy (s.) Shanghai TITING KEE .Sept. 19 | TUESDAYS and FRIDAYS for GIRLS. censed Godownsat 12 % Net per Annum. \$7.50per case of I dezen quarts. are requested to furnish the Undersigned \$8.50per case of 2 dozen pints. FEE S3 per Month; PRIVATE LESSONS, with a LIST OF THEIR CONTERBUTIONS for the On First-class Chinese VESSELS EXPECTED AT HONGKONG. STEAM LAUNCH Co... LORMONT Drawing \$5. Music and Drawing \$10. ...at 2 % Net per Annum. year ending 31st December last, in order that Have always on hand supplies of the best Tenements (Corrected to Date.) \$5......per case of I dezen quarts. For further Particulars, apply to the DISTRIBUTION of the PROFITS On Second-class Chinese COAL for Houses, STEAMERS, & SHIPS atNewport Arugada \$6..... per case of 2 dezen pints. reserved for CONTRIBUTORS may be Tenementsat $2\frac{1}{2}$ %. Not per Annum MODERATE TERMS. Florence.Cardiff ... arranged. Returns not rendered prior to the DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co., 2. Old Bailey. No. 16, TUNG MAN LANE, CUTLER PALMER & Co.'s New York. ...June 1 Hongkong, 8th October, 1885, Agents for Phoenix Fire Office. | 1772 THIRTY-FIRST DAY OF OCTOBER NEXT, will be Honckong. Nyl Ghau...... New York, ..June 1 WINES AND SPIRITS Hougkong 5th August, 1881. adjusted by the Company and no Claims or Hongkong, 17th September, 1885. ..New York ...June 16 F E O R G E G O U L E T Alterations will be subsequently admitted SIEMSSEN & Co.L'pool via Cardiff ...June 22 NOTICE. Hongkong, 1st January, 1884. CHAMPAGNE. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Vorwaerts (8.) Boulogne TRANSATLANTIC FIRE INSURANCE ...**Ju**ne 25 PUSTAU & Co., General Managers, TETHE CHINA FIRE INSURANCE COM-...... New York COMPANY OF HAMBURG. June 26 FOR SALE Ecnykong Fire Insurance Co., Limited. Agenta. Cairnsmuir (s.)Hamburg via G'gow.July PANY, LIMITED, Hongkong, 18th January, 1884. AT WHOLESALE PRICES. Hongkong, 1st ember, 1885. The Undersigned, having been appointed ACCEPT FIRST-CLASS Agents for the avove Company, the prepared to ACCEPT FIRST-CLASS AND SALM MEATS AND SALM CALIFORNIA FLOUR AND MEATS. C. F. Sargent Penarth IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF SIR Rosamond (s.).....Antwerp NOTICES OF FIRMS. Great Surgeon Cardiff. ACCEPT RISKS against FIRE at Current SURANCES at Current Rates. and LIGHT DRY; Bottled by IRON MANTEL PIECES. HARRY SMITH PARKES, Knight AGENCIES at all the Treaty Ports of China CarondeletCardiff. Companion of the Most Honourable Order Rates. and Japan, and at Singupore, Saigon, Penang, PORTSACCONES Bottled by Do. BICYCLES AND TRICYCLES. John Currier Penarth of the Bath, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Distinguished Order of SAINT July 25 SIEMSSEN & Co., Hydrspes (s.).....Antwerp.......Ang. 1 Agents, Hocla. Cardiff .Aug. 12 | THE Undersigned, who has carried on Hongkong, 16th November, 1872. MICHAEL and SAINT GEORGE, lately Her JAS. B. COUGHTRIE. Wilhelm Anton....Cardiff ..Aug. 14 | BUSINESS from the 1st Chinese Moon Britannic Majesty's Envoy Extraordinary Secretary. FINE STANDARD LIFE ASCURANCE Klyde (s.) LiverpoolAug. 16 to the present date, begs to give notice that, JULIEN," "MARGAUX," &c., ELECTRIC FAMILY SOAP. Hongkong, 27th March, 1882. and Minister Plenipotentiary to His John Knox (s.) Glasgow. Aug. 16 on account of Heavy Tosses, he has decided Majesty the Emperor of China, Deceased. COMPANY. from \$4.50 to \$16 per dozen. * NOTICE. Afghan (s.) Glasgow. .. Aug. 16 to CLOSE his Business ... om this date. ESTABLISHED 1825. STILL HOCK, "STILL ERBACH," 1874. Ellen A. Resd......Cardiff OTICE is hereby given that all Persons CHAMPAGNE"VEUVEHUET,""CARTE D'OR." YUE LOONG TAI. .Aug. 21 Accumulated Funds 31st Dec., 1884 ... £ 6,466,527 UEEN FIRE INBURANCE Edwin-Rood.....Gardiffhaving any CLAIMS or DEMANDSAug. 27 Hongkong, 24th October, 1885. BURGUNDY. Annual Revenue ... upon or against the Estate of the said Sir ...New Yor .Aug. 28 BRANDY*. ** and *** Subsisting Assurances Do. £20.467.582 The Undersigned, Agents for the above Com-Catherstone (s).....Antwerp HARRY SMITH PARKES, who died in Aug. 31 "ISLAY BLEND," "R. O. SPE-The Undersigned having been appointed pany, are prepared to ACCEPT RISKS on McNear.....Penarth Peking, in the Empire of China, on the 22nd .Sept. 2CIAL, "LAGAVULIN" Bottled Agents in Hongkong for the above Company FIRST-CLASS GODOWNS at 1 per Cent. Nett pre-THE Undersigned have been nominated by day of March, 1885, and Letters of Administra-Sussex (s.)..........Cordiff... by Mackie & Co., Glasgow. are prepared to receive proposals for LIFE mium per Annum. Special Appointment COMMERCIAL tion to whose Estate were granted by the Augusta Cardiff ... GUINNESS'SEXTRA,Pts.& Qts.; NORTON & Co., Agents. Denbighshire (s.) ... H'burg via London .. Sept. 8 AGENTS for the FOREIGN BUSINESS of Supreme Court of Hongkong, in its Probate ASSURANCE. Bottled by DUBLIN STOUT Co. Policies will be issued immediately on Hongkong, 20th May, 1831. Bothwell Castle (s.)London ... Jurisdiction, to the Undersigned, one of the His Excellency the Viceboy of Chihli. ..Bass & Co., Pale, Pts. & Qts.; Acceptance of Risks by the Board of Directors Executors named in the Will of the Deceased. RUSSELL & Co. TTHE MAN ON INSURANCE COM-Bottled by DUBLIN STOUT CO. in Shanghai. Hongkong, 11th July, 1885. 11467 are hereby required to send in writing to the FIRE Undersigned have been appointed Sole ..Lagee "Kronprinz." THE BORNEO CO, LIMITED. PANY, LIMITED. Undersigned, on or before the 31st day of Agents for the Sale of their Goods in HOTICE is hereby given that on the 3rd October, 1885, the full Particulars of their Hongkong and China by Messrs. J. & R. Zen- day of June last, Yeung Yuk Chi and Claims or Demands.Platform, 600 lbs. to 1,000 lbs. | the 20th October, 1885. -SCALES Hongkong, 30th June, 1885. HEAD OFFICE-HONGRONG. The Howe Scale Co. NENT, Glasgow, and Mosses. David Corsar & his Son Yeung Hee Kum (the latter having And Notice is hereby also given that as soon GENERAL LIFE AND FIRE MACHINERY...DRILLING, PLANING, LATHES. ASSURANCE COMPANY: Sons, Arbroath. been the Manager) retired from the Business of as possible after the expiration of the period CAPITAL (Subscriped), \$1,000,000. &c., Loudon Bros., Glasgow. ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co. PAINTS, OILS, AND VARNISHES-Good. the HOO TAI LOONG SHOP, No. 50, Praya above mentioned, the Undersigned will proceed FITHE Undersigned having been appointed lass, Wall & Co., Liverpool. Hongkong, January, 1867. [20 Central, and Sold all their own Shares of the to distribute the Assets of the said Sir HARRY A Agents for the above. Company, are BOARD OF DIRECTORS.

Business to YEUNG MING LAI TONG SMITH PARKES, Deceased, amongst the prepared to GRANT POLICIES against BAN HUP, Esq.

W. KESWICK.

he shall not have had Notice at the time of the

FIRE AND LIFE at Current Rates.

of sither sex, in their own holders. Settlement of Accounts has been made. It work for us. New business. All The said YA ING MING LAY TONG will not Notice and that he will not be liable for the Hongkong, 1st April, 1885.

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FROM HAMBURG, PENANG, AND

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INTIMATIONS.

MANAGER...... NEIL O'BRIEN. TASCOTTE OPERA COMPANY, THIS (THURSDAY) EVENING, the 29th October, 1885.

EXTRAORDINARY NOTICE. FAREWELL PERFORMANCE OF TH MASCOTTE OPERA COMPANY,

Owing to the delay in the departure of the Shanghai steamer, the MASCOTTE OPERA COMPANY will perform THIS EVENING. VINCENT WALLACE'S Gem of English Operas MARITANA MARITANA,

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Hongkong, 29th October, 1885. FOR HOIHOW AND PAKHOL SHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

"DANURE! Captain Geo. Anderson, will be despatched for the above Ports on SUNDAY, the 1st Novem-For Freight or Passage, apply to YUEN FAT HONG,

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Hongkong, 28th October, 1855. THE SENIOR COMMISSARIAT L OFFICER will receive Tenders, in Duplicate, until 12 o'CLOCK NOON, on SATUR-

> The Pontoon will be Built in accordance with the Plan and Specification copies of which and Forms of Tender can be procured at the COMMISSARIAT and TRANSPORT OFFICE between the hours of 10 A.M. and 4 P.M. Commissariat and Transport Office, Hongkong, 24th October, 1885.

DAY, the 31st day of October, 1885, for a

PONTOON.

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> Hongkong, 8th September, 1885. WINTER TIME TABLE THE KOWLOON FERRY.

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HONGKONG DISPENSARY.

Hongkons, Ocrober 29th, 1885.

The fact that a number of the Greyhound pirates have hown captured by the Chinese to the Chinese authorities certain persons ac- true that Messrs. A. B. or C., as A. B. or C. cused of murder committed in Chinese terfacie. Hence the deadlock. In ordinary a German steamer gets the same space as succeed in reaching it, while on the other remain the same. Our contention the bands of the authorities here. In extra- the number of passengers that may be land punishment of the fugitives from this colony | should be fixed by Germany and not ! into their own hands, if they caught them. | England. It our contemporary cannot it without exercising any very great nicety as to | self see the absurdity of this we must leave the technical validity of the proof offered, it to enjoy the position as best it can. for the Chinese show no tenderness to criminals. It is certain the Greyhound pirates will not be allowed to escape, for the Chinese Authorities arethorough believers in the legal maxim-that pirata est hostis humani generis. The only danger to be apprehended in this case is lest innocent men should suffer, a contingency a thousand times more likely to

TEE Straits Times continues the argument | tsin on the passenger regulations with a persistency worthy of a better cause. Referring to a previous article of ours, our contemporary accuses us of having overlooked the main matter of its contention, which it sets out as follows :-- " The German Government our adopting except the prejudices of a few the altered conditions of steamer traffic since the regulation in question was first enacted. We are therefore to deny the reasonableness of the German view in order to gain a temporary advantage." This may be the main matter of the Straits Times contention, but the vital question in dispute. The German mode of measurement may or may not be a assuming it to be so, that does not dispose is British law, and British law alone, that is to be enforced. At present, owing to the blundering of the Straits Government, this | 'unsportsman-' like conduct." Chamber of Commerce to the Secretary of State has been considered the point will be entisfactorily disposed of. In our previous we contende! that if-German vessels were allowed to introduce immigrants into Sine gapore in accordance with German regulations as to numbers, the vessels of other nations must also be allowed to bring them in accordance with the regulations of their convenience as well as the injustice that "This," says our contemporary. "looks very convincing, but what does it willing to admit a measurement that a foreign official at Chinese port might see fit to authorize a

fact that the maritime regulations of all

these countries are in this respect scarcely e'clock.—Straits Times.

happen in a Chinese than in a British court.

less liberal than dur own) the Governor in Council-would still retain the right of refrom landing in the colony." If the Gov. lost ernor in Council would still retain this right, t follows that he already possesses it, and what has been contended for in Hongkong is that this right should be exercised in such a way as to place all vessels on the same Just received a varied assortment from the footing. Surely no argument is needed demonstrate the fairness of this contention. There has been no attempt on the part the British shipowners to gain what the Straits Times calls "a temporary advantage "; all that is asked for is equal terms. But our contemporary immediately contradiets itself as follows:- "And we will go much further. We venture to say that we have no right whatever to interfere with the long as they represent the deliberate official decision of its Government. If they outrage

he common sense of humanity at large, all right minded nations will join in putting such pressure upon that Government as will oblige it to alter them." The possibility of such outrage to the common sense of humanity at once establishes the necessity of having the power to make such regulations, why appeal to "all right minded nations" authorities is who to be hailed with satis- to join in putting pressure on the Governfaction, but the question arises, supposing ment concerned? The article then goes on the men to be guilty, whether the punish- to say :- "But the argument is not that such ment shall be inflicted by the Chinese courts | regulations [i.e., the regulations which outor those of Hongkong. The offence was rage the common sense of humanity at large] in the boats of late pretty frequently. committed on a British vessel, and it would injure the business of Mesers. A. B. or C., be more in accordance with the fitness of but that they are unsuitable to humanitarian things that the offenders should be tried in a requirements. There is a fair consensus City Hall, yesterday afternoon, and Miss John-British court. Unfortunately, however, the of opinion amongst the leading European stone the organiser of the sale, had the satisfaction rendition of criminals between Hongkong nations as to what is permissible, and and China has been suspended, owing to the this may safely be relied on to keep action of Hongkong in declining to give up people within due bounds." It is quite have no claim to special consideration, but sale to state what the sum realised was, but the ritory. The clause in the treaty reads as the interests of British trade as a whole have sales effected doubtless came to a considerable follows: - " If criminals, subjects of China, an indisputable claim to consideration, and shall take refuge in Hongkong or on board our complaint against the Straits Government the British ships there, they shall, upon due is that that claim has been totally ignored. toys, and the usual thousand and one or namental requisition by the Chinese authorities, be Our contemporary also says:-- "In the .very searched for, and, on proof of their guilt, be cases which gave rise to this discussion it delivered up." It has been held that the was admitted that the question was a nautiproof required is absolute and not prima | cal and not a hygienic one. Each coolie in

cases of rendition between civilized coun- a British steamer. The simple difference is Of the other stalls the holders were the Hontries it is held sufficient to establish that in our vessels we do not count covered a prima facie case such as would justify hatchways passenger spaces." This is not a magistrate in committing the accused accurate. In addition to the difference that - for trial, but as regards the surrender in British vessels we do not count covered of criminals too China a different rule hatchways passenger spaces, there is the has been adopted, and the Chinese Go. further important difference that whereas Ewen, and Mrs. Huntingdon; Mrs. Bell-Irving, vernment, resenting this, have suspended British vessels are only allowed to carry rendition altogether. The policy of refusing deck passengers during a certain portion of performance by the Band of H.M.S. Audacious to hand over fugitive criminals to China is, the year German vessels are allowed to carry we think, extremely questionable. It is true them all the year round. This is a matter that no great confidence can be reposed in of detail which we mention merely for the was held yesterday afternoon, for the election of the justice of Chinese courts, but the law of information of our Singapore friend and not a committee in place of the one elected at the the greatest good to the greatest number as touching the real question at issue. seems to demand that we should recognise | Whether the advantage conceded to a Ger- | matters in connection with the church. Mr. J the courts, bad though they be, and hand | man ship over a British ship amounted only over the fugitives for trial by their own tri- to a hundred dollars in the course of the were as follow:-When the Rev. J. Colville rebunals. Otherwise the colony affords an | year or, as is actually the case, to some asylum to all Chinese criminals who can thousands, the principle involved would hand persons who commit crimes in Hong. that vessels taking passengers to Sin, time as might be found possible. The church kong have only to escape to Chinese territory | gapore should be subject, no matter what in order to be safe from further pursuit at their nationality, to one uniform law as to services to fill the pulpit, which were accepted, ordinary cases, however, such as murder, pro- ed. The Straits Times admits the desirability defray the expenses connected with the church bably the Chinese Authorities would take the of this, but contends that the standard for a stated time on certain conditions, and

> The Austrian gunboat Nautilus, Captain Spetzler, left here yesterday for Singapore. The Spanish steamer Butuan was discharged from the Kowloon Dock vesterday

The Agents inform us that the steamer John themselves under the conditions set out in the Knox, from Glasgow, sailed from Manila for this circular issued in April. Certain seatholders pert on Tuesday afternoon. The German steamer Atalanta, from Hamburg.

one being for Shanghai, and the other for Tien-

The Tamsui correspondent of the Shanghai subscription is not stated in the deed. Mercury says that if the reports of Chinese provetrue, Formosa will soon be connected by a cable with the mainland, which probably will have its influence upon trade.

The Queen's road stabbing case was again efore the Police Court yesterday, some eviadopts a sensible and perfectly justifiable dence being taken, of which a report will be mode of measurement which nothing hinders found in another column. As will be seen, another man has been arrested on the same charge, so that there are now three men in custody old fashioned people who choose to ignore charged with the commission of an offence which certainly only one man was guilty of. The evidence is very conflicting, one witness positively identifying Daley, the man originally believed to be the criminal, and another swearing it was the second. The third man arrested is also a

signs of civilization in this Settlement, we may poned until those who had made payments. it is a purely side issue and does not touch note that the Proprietor of Birtam Estate, 3,000 under the circular issued in April should give notice of any motion? acres in extent and about the best snipe ground have had an opportunity of duly qualifying in the Straits, is going in for preserving it, and themselves to vote as seatholders should purposes letting out the shooting. We under they so desire. The following gentlemen sensible and perfectly justifiable one, but stand his sole object is to prevent the wholesale were elected as the committee to serve, toslaughter of birds and put a stop to shooting all gether with the elders of the church, in place of in the Finance Committee, but they say "We do class of pony, and also that they be considered was going off in a sampan, when he thought the the year round. The rule, generally followed in the one elected on the 16th September:-Mesirs. of the contention that no advantage should years gone past, was not to commence snips Geo. Murray Bain, D. R. Crawford, Rev. E. be allowed to foreign over British shipping shooting till the 1st November; but for the last Faber, A. Falconer, D. Gillies J. Goosmann, W. in a British port. If the British law be two or three seasons, shooting has been com- H. Lobb, G. Sharp, A. Mathieson, and J. Rodmenced during the end of August and the early | ger; Mr. Crawford to act as Treasurer, and Mr. faulty let it be amended by all means, but part of October. If men, who call themselves Sharp as Secretary. let there be no mistake as to the fact that it sportsmen, will be reckless and violate what are considered to be beneficial rules for the preservation of game, they must stand by the consequence of their felly or what may aptly be called

is not the case, but there can be little doubt
that as soon as the latter of the Honokon's Society at Singapore met for debate on the 19th

THE DISSOLUTION OF PARLIAMENT.

For cargo boats, for size and per day, but it is the high priced porties running in the other knocked down, another man, the second defentation of the Honokon's Society at Singapore met for debate on the 19th

Parliament will be dissolved on the 18th of this sum inst, the subject being "Is China likely to be- November. come a great military power within the next 25 ADDITIONS TO THE BRITISH NAVY years?" Before the debate the President read a letter from the President of the Celestial article, to which the Straits Times replies, invitation, expressing his deep regret at being unable to be present owing to a prior engage-Society's letter of invitation to be circulated violated the Bulgarian frontier. ment, and stating that he had caused the amongst the members of his association. But for some reason or another, not one of the Celestials was present. The affirmative side of ably telegraphic news from Tientsin in its issue the question was taken by the President, who, we are glad to find, is getting a fluent speaker, own authorities, and we pointed out the in: but although he made the best of a bad cause it was almost foreseen from the outset he would meet rith a disastrous defeat, as was proved terday. would accrue from a multiplicity of stan- afterwards; when he had 3 votes for his side against 12 for the opposition. He eulogised the Chinese highly for the pluck and courage shown by them in the late Franco-Chinese war, and some of the Censors uphold the introduction of to? Simply that, because we are characterized the proceedings of their enemy as Railroads in China. The Board of Revenue and highly dishonourable. The opposer of the debate, a recent acquisition of the Society, and common conse approves, a very valuable one, made a very effective speech, therefore be bound to accept and as he has seen much of the Chinese, having FUTURE CHINESE IMPROVEMENTS charges. I do not know what powers the Re- event as possible. been born and bred in one of the neighbouring colonies, he was in a position to speak with some We at once degree of experience. Howevermuch he admired the Chinese for their physical endurance and commercial acumen, he was not prepared to say that the Chinese have ever shown any military | FAILURE OF THE INTRODUCTION shipmaster to emulate the horrors of the quality, and that China never was nor is likely to be a great military power, certainly not withmiddle passage. But (to say nothing of the

in the next 25 years, nor even in 100 years hence. The meeting was brought to a close about 11

The Japan Gazette of the 19th instant is informed that the yacht Loiterer foundered at her anchorage in Shimoda harbour during thelate stricting any given number of passengers heavy weather. Fortunately there were no lives

> His Excellency Governor Sir George Bowen gave a Ball at Government House on Tuesday night in honour of The Buffs, on the eve of their departure from the Colony. It was largely attended, and the military element, owing to the presence of two Regiments in the colony, was very prominent.

The Mascotte Opera Company performed Gil-bert and Sullivan's opera "The Mikado" last night, at the Theatre Royal, before a crowded house, and achieved a signal success. We hold over a detailed notice until to-morrow. To night, in consequence of the postponement of the steamer, they will perform "Maritana."

Rowing men must bear in mind that entries for the Chairman's Cup, American Cup, and German Cup races at the next regatta closs on Saturday next. At present there are about a passenger regulations -under any flag so dozen rowing entries for the first two events, and rather less for the third. A number of genlemen, however, invariably wait to pretty marly the last before putting down their names so that thus far there is a fair promise of good entries for these races. Last year the regatta brought out more rowing men than had essayed to pull in the great aquatic carnival for many years. Nearly all the same men are in the colony now, but as some of the older hands are likely to retire from the work this season new material will be wanted to fill their places. It is regulations, and the Governor of Singapore to be hoped the sculling events will not fall through this year, as they did last, for want of

> Thommual bazanr in said of the Baxter Chinese Girls' School was held in the St. Andrew's Hall of seeing the affair one of the most successful that has yet taken place in connection with this very deserving institution. From the time that the bazzar opened there was a good attendance of customers, and business ruled very brisk all through the afternoon. We are not at present amount. There were nine stalls for the sale of the usual fancy articles, needlework of every description, drawings, water colour sketches, paintings, and useful knick-knacks one is acoustomed tofind temptingly displayed and zealously put forward for sale by fair stall keepers and assistants; and there was also a refreshment stall. At the last named stall Mrs. Jackson presided, and that lady had a bovy of assistants composed of the Misses in Hazeland, Le Mesurier, Sharp, and Holworthy. Mrs. A. Lambart, Mrs. Jennings, and Mrs. Cameron; Mrs. Wright and Miss Grimble; Mrs. Manson, Mrs. Bird, and Mrs. Poesnecker; Mrs. Morant, Miss Morant, and Mrs. Davis; Mrs. Hazeland and Mrs. Pocock; the Misses Linstead and Mrs. Chalmers; Mrs. Cohen, Mrs. Neble, and Miss Holworthy; Mrs. Forbes, Mrs. Mc-Mrs. Lyall, and Miss Herbert. The general exjoyment was much enhanced by the excellent of a choice selection of music.

> > A meeting of the seatholders of Union Church

meeting of the 16th September last, which has resigned, and for the consideration of other Macgregor was voted to the chair. The circumstances which led to the calling of the meeting signed the pastorate, it was decided owing to the want of funds, not to engage another pastor at the time, but the committee were requested to arrange for the holding of services from time to remained closed for one or two Sundays, after which the Rev. Dr. Eitel offered his gratuitous and since then divine worship has been regularly held. Mr. Granville Sharp offered to circular was issued to the effect that seat rents were abolished and that the church would henceforth be conducted on the voluntary system, but that persons desirous of retaining. their right of voting could do so by paving \$1 annually to the Treasurer. On the 16th September last, the regular annual meeting of the seatholders was held, at which the question of engaging the services of a permanent paster was brought forward, but on being put to the rote was negatived. At this meeting a number of persons voted who had, as they supposed, qualified who took objection to the proceedings as irregular referred the matter to the trustees, and a reference to the trust deed showed that the out landed two batteries of Krupp gans at Shanghai, fication necessary to entitle a person to vote was that he should have been a "seatholder for at least six months. The amount of the given by minors were also ruled to be illeral. The trustees declined to call a general meeting of the sentholders as requested, holding that it was not within their province to do so, but they pointed out that it was open to any five seatholders to call such a meeting. This course was accordingly adopted, and resulted in

the meeting held yesterday afternoon. series of resolutions had been prepared, which were all carried nem con... advocates of the voluntary system and those of the system of seatrents having previously exchanged views and come to an understanding. These resolutions were to the effect that seatrents should be collected as they had been up to 1834. the amount being fixed at \$10 per annum payable half-yearly, with power to the Committee to reduce the amount to \$6 in certain cases: and that consideration of the question of the The Penang Gazette says:-"Among the engagement of a regular pastor should be post-

LATEST TELEGRAMS.

LONDON, 27th October.

It is intended by the British Government to add nine ironclads to the Navy within two years. THE EASTERN QUESTION.

It is denied that the Servian troops have

The Mercury publishes the following presumof the 23rd inst. :--DEPARTURE OF LI FROM PEKING.

RAILROADS IN CHINA

The Emperor, Empress, Prince Chun, and some of the Censors are opposing it. It is likely to create quite a stir in the Empire.

All executive power is placed in the hands of Li Hung-chang in regard to future improvements in China.

IN LIS HANDS.

OF A NATIONAL BANK. The scheme for establishing a National Bank has fallen through. The Board of Revenue vill not agree to it.

HONGKONG LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL. how this friction originates the better. The THE PROPOSED FAREWELL BALL A meeting of the Legislative Council was held vesterday afternoon. There were present :--

His Excellency the Governor, Sir George erguson Bowen, G.C.M.G. Hon. Sir GEORGE PHILLIPPO, Chief Justice Hon. F. STEWART, Acting Colonial Secretary Hon. E. L. O'MALLEY, Attorney-General, Hon. A. LISTER, Colonial Treasurer.

Hon. J. M. PRICE, Surveyor General. Hon. P. RYRIE. Hon. T. JACKSON. Hon. F. D. SASSOON.

Hon. Wong Shing. The minutes of the last meeting were read and confirmed.

The Acting Colonial Secretary—I have to lay on the table three minutes by His Ex cellency the Governor, recommending certain

The CLERK OF COUNCILS read the minutes. which recommended the Council to vote the Fitting machine gun to Police launch No. 2... \$115.29 Flage supplied by the Naval Authorities

Ilterations in the Post Office building to provide rooms for the parcel post service ... Robnilding the retaining wall below the Civil Hospital damaged at the recent fire 8,000.00 The Acting Colonial Secretary moved that the minutes be referred to the Finance Committee.

MUNICIPAL BATES.

The COLONIAL TREASURER seconded.

HIS EXCELLENCY—Honograble gentlemen of the Legislative Council, before proceeding to the entries. The old complaint of members without order of the day. I desire to make a brief stateprivate boats of their own, that the Club beats ment. In the speech with which I opened the boats. were not fit to pull against private ones-up to present session, I addressed you as follows:the present undoubtedly well grounded—is now |"Under the circumstances stated in a report no longer to be made use of as the Club havehad of the Colonial Treasurer which will be laid three capital new toothpicks sent out from Eng. before you, it has then found necessary to rates fifty per cent. within the last month. land. There ought also to be a good double scul- increase the Police rate by I per cent. As His Excellency—If the hon gentleman will Bowles, J. H. S. Lockhart, Victor H. Deacon. ling race, as a number of members have been out the law of this Colony has hithorto stood, give notice of a question it will raise the whole J. J. Francis, M. Grote, A. Maconachie, Carl the power of assessing the municipal rates ubject. is vested solely in the Governor in Executive Council. I think that this anomaly, for which there is probably no precedent in any other partment" for "Supreme Court" in the vote Ede, W. H. Ray, A. H. Percival, G. E. Noble, part of the British Empire, should be removed: and that, for the future, the Municipal, like the general taxation, should be imposed, after full consideration, by a vote of the Legislative Council. I have recommended to Her Majestv's. Government that I should receive authority to carry out this reform." I have now much pleasure in informing you that I have received the to introduce an Ordinance entitled "The commendation. Accordingly, a new Municipal Bill is to reproduce the existing law with some

> THE SUPPLEMENTARY APPROPRIATION BILL 1884. now to bring up the report of the Finance Com-

> entire taxation of the colony under the control

mittee on the Appropriation Bill, 1884, which is as follows:—" The Committee having considered of rates on empty houses may be effected. the annexed Bill, recommend the same be reported without amendment." I beg to move that the Council now go into committee on this Bill. The Colonial Treasurer seconded. Carried.

The Council then went into committee and eported the Bill without amendment. The Bill was then read a third time and passed THE APPROPRIATION BILE, 1886. The Acting Colonial Secretary—I have now to bring up the report of the Finance Com-

mittee on the Appropriation Bill for 1886. It is as follows:--" The Committee having considered the annexed Bill, recommend that the same be reported without amendment." I move that the Council go into committee on this Bill. The Colonial Treasures seconded.

Hon. P. Ryrie-Your Excellency, I do not know whether I am in order or not in bringing | Club was held yesterday at the City Hall, when the matter forward at this stage, but I may state | there was a good attendance, including Messrs. that there is a very strong feeling among A. Coxon, J. Boll-Leving, C. P. Cl. der. Major nfluential persons in this colony that the Hamilton, W. H. F. Darby, M. Grote, H. Hop. | charge of having out and wounded a seaman minutes of the Finance Committee should be read in Council. That system was introduced burn. W. H. Forbes, A. G. Stokes, T. I. Rose, E. once and dropped suddenly, for what reason I Georg, J. Grant, C. Stiebel, R. Fraser-Smith, Petersen's boarding house. At 6.30 on Sunday do not know, but many people are of opinion-the | W. Legge, P. Jordan, and others. minutes should be read in Council, as they say they do not know the reason why such and such by Mr. Hoppius, Mr. A. Coxon was voted to the him. A man came up and struck witness on the

a vote should be passed. When the votes are chair. brought before this Council they are generally out for your Excellency's consideration. I do notice convening the meeting. not propose a motion: I merely tell you what is

The Acting Colonial Secretary-The system was introduced once. I do not know why was carried. t was abandoned. Perhaps I may be able to as-

The ATTORNEY-GENERAL-What is the object of the suggested reading of the minutes? know why the sanction of such and such expenditure has been arrived at. I could never be removed from our proceedings.

to the remarks which have fallen from my hon. M. Grote, G. E. Noble, W. H. F. Darby, C. said he had stabbed a Chinaman. Witness asked friend on my right I wish to say one or two P. Chater, W. H. Ferbes, and J. Grant. unduly secret in the proceedings of the Finance Chater, Grant, Grote, Bell-Irving, Hoppius, to let him see his hands, and he showed them; Committee, and that the evil, such as it is, would Forbes, Jackson, and with Mesers. Noble and there was no blood upon them. Carborry be met by the reading of the minutes of the Sassoon with an equal number of votes each, no then showed him how he stabbed the man Finance Committee in this Council. Now I ap- | cessitating a fresh ballot between these two gen. | After that witness and another man took him prehend the determination arrived at by the tlemen for the tenth member, there being other. to a public house where he said he had left some this Council, and I do not see how the reading favour of Mr. Noble.

determination is arrived at. Hon. P. Ryrie-Sometimes they do.

son for its being abandoned.

any motion, your Excellency. I merely state should be considered eligible, if not for the classic Home, said he saw the second defendant (Carberry) what has been said to me by several persons in subscription griffin races, the Valley Stakes and jump over the wall at the Home, and half an the colony. I know everything that takes place German Cup, for the other races assigned to that hour afterwards he came back and said that he

was then read in extense by the CLERK or important matter for the consideration of the statement was made in the Home, at the bottom

for the Registrar-General's department, said ing his suggestion. He thought it was hard ployed, stated that on Sunday evening, near mains, instead of being accompanied by the im--Your Excellency, I would like to say for a man to subscribe for a pony which was per seven o'clock, he was standing in a lane near posing ceremonies we all anticipated, was one of a few words with reference to the Registrar- haps lame before it even reached here, and to go Petersen's boarding house, and he saw two men the meanest things imaginable; true there was General's department. I refer particularly to the expense of keeping it for a chance the fighting. One hit the other and he fall down, a long ragged procession, innumerable crackers to the regulations as to the hiring of next year, that he was unable to race it against and when he got up he was kicked between the and a multitude of mourners, but still the effect cargo boats in this colony. As far as the public ponies of the same class, against whom it might legs. There were two men, and the row com- was disappointing, ludiorously so. I am orediknow and believe, there is a fixed scale of hire have some chance, while it had no chance against menced with the other man. After he was bly informed that a sum of Tls. 3,000 was voted charge in many cases double the amount fixed by terest of the supporters of the griffin system. ed the other down, and he was then knocked down would cover all items. The coffin was conveyed the scale issued by the Registrar-General's de- and would leave it to the judgment of the himself. He got up and struck the man who had in a large mandarin junk to Pagoda Anchorage partment. Now, I say if the Registrar-General's | stewards. department has no power to enforce this scale | The CHARMAN said the suggestion would away. Witness saw the knife, and he was quite sure foo, with her precious freight on board, left the sooner we have legislation on the subject be considered by the stewards when brought that the man who used it was the second de- here about noon on the 16th, intending to stop the better. It is a grave complaint throughout before them in the proper way, and of course fendant. He picked the man out of a number at the various forts on the way down in order the colony that the owners of cargo boats make the support of the subscribers would go a of others. He was only seven or eight yards that the various generals and civil officials might is very simple, even without legislation, suppos- decision arrived at last season was come to main. lane near Petersen's. ing the Registrar-General has the power we ly on account of the owners of griffins, though suppose he has to deprive such men of their he believed it went beyond the spirit of the brothel at 17, East-street. On Saturday last soldiers who committed the crimes I wrote of icences, for I am quite sure there are plenty of thing. others anxious to come and do cargo boat busi. Mr. Fraser Smrn said that though he made her for the night, leaving next morning. He to ke to the corities are on their track and ness on the scale of hire laid down in the pub- no appeal to the stewards he felt sure his case were a belt, and had a sheath knife in it. He are sanguine or capturing them at I. tant lished list. As things are at present, I hear was a good one by racing law. One great racing was dressed much as he was in the dock, but when date. Those same authorities have a very sum-Li Hung-chang left Peking for Tientsin yes- from people connected with chipping that they law was that conditions of a race could not be she first saw him in the hands of the police, she mary and effectual method of dealing with misare unable to deal with these people. There eltered, and there was nothing in the conditions was not quite sure of him because he had shaved creamts of the robbery and murder calibre. is no power to compel them to accept engage- of that race to exclude his pony. He did not, his beard off. She had no doubt of him now, A C amission of Enquiry, appointed by the ments, and the only way is to withdraw their however, think it worth while to dispute so paltry however.

> power of compelling these people to accept the man might have two good ponies; he might run who had pushed him down with a knife. It was gate certain irregularities preferred against an rates, and the sooner he has that power the one, and keep the other over to the next year. better. I would also refer to another matter in Mr. FRANCE SMITH-I do not think any one she was quite sure of him as it was not very dark, to run a long way into six figures, if not seven. connection with this department. I do not pro- would do that. fess to know where the fault lies, but there is The CHAIBMAN-That is all the business be- had on a dark blue suit. evidently a great deal of friction between the fore the meeting. I thank you for your attend. By Daley—The stabbing occurred next to the so, I will find out more about his misconduct. Registrar-General's department and the Polico ance, gentlemen.

I think, therefore, the sooner we get to know tee, &c. (Applause),

Police are not satisfied. I believe, and there was a case the other day where the Acting Registrar-General refused to give his evidence in the

to the remarks which my hon, friend has made upon this particular item of the clause of the or- | ber, read the notice convening the meeting. dinance now under discussion I would suggest to him that he should state in some shape—in fore this meeting is to elect a Committee of arthe form of a question, perhaps—the grievance which I understand to be felt with reference to the state of the law, or the administration of the miral Dowell is known to you all, and I can only

his remarks seem to indicate. At present I do should elect as the Committee. not exactly see what the complaint is.

Hon. P. Ryrie-It has been brought very prominently before me': it is the overcharges of The CHIEF JUSTICE—You had better give

duca the vote?

give notice of a question.

The Bill was reported with a verbal amend. Romano, W. Durran, L. Poesnecker, G. S. ment-viz., the substitution of "Indicial De. Coron, E. R. Belilids, J. B. Coughtrie, N. J.

time and passed. POSTPONEMENT OF BUSINESS. The Attorney-General—I have to ask that

the other orders in my name may stand over.

THE MUNICIPAL RATES ORDINANCE The ATTORNEY-GENERAL—I have to ask leave | list. approval of the Imperial Government to my re- Municipal Rates Ordinance." The scope of this I tion, which was agreed to nem. dis. future the fixing, or varying rather—the rate will be fixed by the Ordinance in the first instance and any subsequent variation will have to

> The Bill was read a first time. NOTICE OF MOTION. Hon. P. RYRIE—I beg to give notice of the following resolution:—"That an enquiry made into the overcharges recently made by the owners of cargo boats to the detriment of ship ping interests, and that the Registrar-General department be empowered to deal with all such

ADJOURNMENT, The Council adjourned until Wednesday next to divide into sub-committees, &c.

HONGKONG JOCKEY CLUB.

ANNUAL MEETING. The annual meeting of the members of this pins, G. E. Noble, J. A. dos Remedios, J. Thur-I named Jurgen Olson on the 25th inst.

On the motion of Mr. C. P. CHATER, seconded Mr. GRANT, on behalf of Mr. H. J. H. Tripp, Olson, who knocked him down. The man went passed without romark. I merely throw this the Clerk of the Course, who is absent, read the for Olson again, and stabbed him in the side

The Charman said he believed the business recognise the man or to see the knife he used. the opinion of influential persons in this colony. before the meeting was very simple, merely to He ran away after giving the stab, and Olson I do not know if the Colonial Secretary can accept and pass the accounts, and to elect stewards | west to Peterson's, and from there to the Gogive us the reason why the system of reading for the forthcoming meeting? He presumed the verament Civil Hospital. Witness did not see the minutes was abandoned. The ATTORNEY-GENERAL-Was that system he would therefore propose that they should be from behind. He could not identify the man, accepted and passed. Mr. LEGGE seconded the proposition, which

Mr. FRASER-SMITH suggested that a saving not say at what time, the second defendant came f time would be effected if the re-election of running into the Home in an excited state, and the same gentlemen who acted as stewards last jumped over the wall. Witness saw no more of year were proposed. He begged to propose that. him for half of an hour, and then he saw him run Hon. P. RYRIE-So that the public may It was pointed out, however, that the rules to the corner of the wall and commence throwing provided that ten stewards should be elected by stones at some Chinaman. A man named ballot, with power to add to their number, and Burgess asked him in witness's hearing what he see why the minutes should not be read in there were then thirteen stewards, the stewards was doing there, and Carberry said:—"I would Council. The persons I have referred to seem appointed last year having added—to their kill that——." Witness went to bring two to think the present system is a secret way number. Therefore there were three more policemen who had come to the Home in search THE MACAO'SUBSCRIPTIONS TO THE of carrying on the financial department of the than could be re-elected. The thirteen retiring of some one to the man, but when they saw Carcolony. I think anything like secrecy should stewards were the Hon P. Ryria Hon W. Kee. herry they said that was not the man they want-

state the reasons or arguments by which that matter he wished to call attention to. He knew stabled, not a Chinaman. Carberry said-" For the stewards were the parties to deal with such | ---- sake hold you row and say nothing about it." matters, but in the interest of the subscribers The prisoner did not stay at the Home, but he The ATTORNEY GENERAL-Well, that is not for subscription griffins he would like to draw stayed there that night within the scope of minutes. My hon, friend, it attention to the existing provision with regard To the defendant—You ran through the Home seems, is making a suggestion which, if there be to griffins held over from one year for lamoness, in the first instance; I ran after you, and you such an evil as is alleged, would not meet the case. &c., to another season. The stewards had ruled jumped over the wall. It was in the Home you Hon. P. Ryrie—The practice was in force against his entry of such a griffin at the last said you had stabbed the Chinaman, you seemed formerly and I have never known any good rea- meeting, and he did not wish to make any oppo- to pull yourself together. You made the statecouragement of racing the stewards might make house. Hon. P. RYRIE-I do not intend to propose provision that grifflus held over in this way William Black, seaman staying at the Sailors'

entitled to the allowances for subscription griffins sampan men were going to hurt him, so he gave The Bill, which consides of only one section, in the open moss. He thought it was an the --- job and threw the knife away. The stewards, as he thought the almost unanimous of the stairs. Hon. P. Ryrie, referring to the vote views of the subscribers would be met by adopt. Achman Hassan, of Algiers, fireman unem-

licences or legislate to punish the men for a matter. He thought it would be more sports | Emily Hutchburton, a girl of 12 or 13 years, days. The objects of enquiry are what altera-

TO ADMIRAL DOWELL

A publicmeeting called by the Hongkong Cham-Police Court, which had a strong effect in in- ber of Commerce was held yesterday in the room ducing in the minds of the public a belief that of that institution, at the City Hall, for the pur there is something wrong comewhere. I dis- poss of promoting the proposed Ball on the 6th tinetly state I am not charging any one depart- proximo as a mark of the esteem of the colony ment with the fault, out that there is some frie- for Admiral Dowell, previous to his departure tion between the departments I think is pretty from this station. There was a good attendance. vident. The Hon. P. Ryrie, the Vice-Chairman of The Attorney General—With reference the Chamber, presided.

Mr. H. M. Baily, the Secretary of the Cham-

The CHAIRMAN-Gentlemen, the business berangement for the Ball to be given in honour of Admiral Sir William Montague Dowell. Ad law, connected with the charge of cargo boats, say that the proposal which emanated from the and of chairs and jinrickshas. Committee of this Chamber has been, as you Hon. P. Ryrre-I want the Registrar-Gene-I will see by the list of names I have to read ral's department to be given power to deal with it. I to you, warmly taken up. (Applause). I have no The Attorney, Guneral.—We must first as- doubt that with the co-operation of the gentlecertain what the grievance is and then see if it men whose names are on the list I have in my is well founded. If my hon, friend would give no- band we shall be able to offer a very suitable tice of some question to raise the point I should be compliment to an officer of such very gallant in a position to explain to him precisely how the bistory. (Applause). Gentlemen, I need say no law stands, and then we would see whether or thing more, and I will now read to you the 504.00 not there is any such deficiency in the laws as names of the gentlemen wheth we propose you

Mr. Ryric then read the following list :---The Hen. Sir George Phillippo, Hon. E. L. O'Malley, Hon. J. M. Price, Mr. E. J. Ackroyd, Hon. P. Ryrie, Hon. T. Jackson, Hon. F. Sassoon, Messrs. W. H. Forbes, H. Hoppius, A. notice of a question. You do not propose to re- P. McEwen, E. Mackintosh, H. L. Dalrymple, Hon. Wong Shing, Hon. F. Stewart, Hon. Al-Hon. P. Ryrie-Oh, no; it is merely on the fred Lister, Mr. A. McIver, Capt. W. M. Deane, mestion of cargo boats. I want to know if the Capt. Rumsey, R.N., Mr. C. D. Bottomley, Dr. Registrar-General has power to deal with cargo Ayres, Mesers. H. E. Wodehouse, J. M. Matson, H. A. Herbert, H. Foss, John Macgregor The CHIEF JUSTICE—Then you had better David Gillies, A. F. Smith. D. R. Crawford. Capt. Burnie, Captain Anderson, Messra. C. P. Hon. P. Ryrie-I know they have raised the Chater, A. Coxon, A. P. Stokes, J. Bell-Irving, W. H. F. Darby, B. Layton, A. G. Stokes, C. E. His Excellency-If the hon. gentleman will Bowles, J. H. S. Lockhart, Victor H. Deacon. Steibel, H. M. Mehta, G. de Champeaux, A. G. for that department—and was then read a third J. Thurburn, T. H. Whitehead, Lee Sing, Lee he stated what he missed from day to day, Tak Cheeng, Wei Ayuk, Dr. Ho Kai, Hormus-

jee Setna and S. G. Bird. The CHAIRMAN then proposed the election of those centlemen as the Committee, observing that he thought it was a pretty representative

Mr. R. FRASER-SMITH seconded the proposi-The CHAIRMAN then requested the gentle-Rating Ordinance will be introduced, which will considerable amendments, the most important of men who had been elected to remain behind carry out the proposed reform, and so place the which will be one which will provide that for the furpose of appointing sub-committees to carry out the details.

Mr. A. P. McEwen proposed the election of the following gentlemen as a working Combe effected by Ordinance instead of as now by mittee to make preparations for the Ball and The ACTING COLONIAL SECRETARY-I have the Governor in Council. There are also some the Address:-The Hon. J. M. Price, Commanminor amendments of the existing law, one of der Rumsey, R. N., Messrs, A. Coxon, J. J. which relates to the mode by which the refund Francis, Bendyshe Layton, J. H. Stewart-Lockhart, A. P. McEwen, A. P. Stokes, for being there, he asked witness if he knew J. Melville Matson, G. S. Coxon, C. E. Bowles, J. B. Coughtrie, J. Macgregor, A. Mc- back that key," and the prisoner pretended be

with power to add to their number. Mr. W. H. FORBES seconded the proposal, which was carried unanimously. Mr. McEwen also announced that he received a letter from Mr. Matson, offering to undertake the duties of Hon. Secretary. (Ap-

The Working Committee then held a meeting

POLICE COURAL 28th October.

BEFORE Mr. E. MACKEAN.

THE STABBING CASE IN QUEEN'S-ROAD. James Daley, Robert Carberry, and Frederick

Clerk, seamen, were before the court on the Otto Nilsson said he was a sailor staving at evening he was near the Star Hotel, with two-Germans, Olson and another man standing near left cheek with his fist, and then went up to with a knife. It was too dark for witness to

though the third defendant looked like him. Henry Webb said he was a cook living at the Sailors' Home. On Sunday evening, he could wick, Hon. T. Jackson. Hon. F. D. Sassoon, ed; and it was Daley they were looking for. The ATTORNEY-GENERAL-With reference Messrs. J. Boll-Irving, A. Coxon, H. Hoppins, After that the prisoner came into the Home and

him what he had done it with, and Carberry said, closed Macao subscription list. The names of words. I gather that there is in some quarters. The result of the ballot was that the follow. "With a knife, and I threw it away after I had an impression that there is something or other ing members were elected-Messrs. Ryrie; Coxon, ripped the ---- up." Witness asked Carberry Yours truly, Finance Committee is invariably reported to wise eleven. The second ballot resulted in soap and a bundle. They got these things and then returned, and on the way back witness viz :-of the minutes could do more. Minutes do not | Mr. R. Fraser-Smith said there was one asked him if it was not a European that he had

sition on a matter of that kind, as the stewards | ment as to how you stabled the man close by the His Excellency-Does the hon, gentleman had the ruling of it, but he thought for the en- staircase, and you showed your hands in the H. Cox.

knocked him down with a knife, and then ran where the Meifoo was waiting for it. The Meiextortionate charges. The remedy to my mind long way with them in their decision. The tway from him. The fight took place in the tender their last respect to the remains of the

charging more than is laid down in the scale. manlike, and would encourage more people to living at the Star Hotel, said she was with her tions and improvements in the defences of the Chairs and other public vehicles also require subscribe, if a concession were made as he sug. | mother (Mrs. Linde) outside the window of that river are required, what they will cost, and what some power to compel them to adhere to the regested. The ponies left over now had no chance, house, when they noticed a row going on a short has been done with the moneys already voted gulation fares; in connection with these also I and why should they not? Make the thing as distance off. Her mother sent her to see what and supplied for these purposes. The deliberabelieve there are constant complaints of over- little of a lottery and as much of a sporting it was, and when she got there she saw one man tions of the Commissioners are in the mountime push another down on to the ground. When he suspended, owing to their presence being registrar-General really has, but he has not the Mr. J. Bell-Invinc-On the other hand a got up he stepped back, and then struck the man quired at some of the Formesa ports to investithe first defendant (Daley) who used the knife; official of high degree. His defalcations are said and she was only about five yards off him. He There is a rumour amongst the Chinese that this

Japanese shop. The first defendant was holding and the Magistracy. We saw a case of that Mr. GRANT-The Course will be open on a hat in his mouth, and he had a cap on his head. the other day, which I need not refer to. Monday next, and there will be the usual coffee. He ran away. It was about 6.30.

called to give evidence as to the men being beachcombers. He said Daley had refused to ship in berths he obtained for him several times, and had come to his house to fight him.

The case was remanded to to-day. BEFORE MR. H. E. WODEHOUSE.

ALLEGED CLEVER ROBBERIES BY A SERVANT. Hu Achung, house boy employed at Mossra. Melchers & Co.'s, was charged with having entered the office of his employers with intent to commit a larceny on the 27th inst., and he was also charged on suspicion with stealing a brass German watch and a number of postage stamps o the value of \$5, at different times within the past two months.

Carl Rogge said he was a clerk in the employ

Mesers. Melchers & Co. For some time past

there had been larcenics of stamps from a drawer

in his desk, and in consequence a watch had been kept in the office. At 8.15 p.m. on the 27th he secreted himself in the office. the lights being extinguished, and the door being locked. There were three doors to this office, two of which were in constant use. and one which was solden or never used. A bench usually stood in front of this door. but it was that day removed. It was through this door that an entry was made while witness was watching. He had only watched a quarter of an hour. The prisoner climbed up on top of a partition eight feet high, and then struck a match, which went out, and then he struck another. By the light of the matches witness recognised the prisoner, and the prisoner also saw him, and at once dropped down on the other side of the partition, and was caught in the house. For four days watch was kept from six to eight, but the larcenies still went on, and it was then determined to watch during the dinner hour. and witness had just begun it, intending to wait an hour or an hour and half in the room. None of the servants were aware that he was there. The stamp_were_kept in a drawer which was locked when he left the office, the lock being an ordinary one. The stamps were under his special charge. He always found the drawer locked as if nobody had been to it from the time he locked it, but for two months past he had missed stamps from the drawer. At first they only went in such small quantities as to merely raise his suspicions, but afterwards he took note, and amounting in value to \$5.60. There were also some ten and 20 cent pieces taken from the drawer which he had marked with a needle, and a few days ago a brass watch, value \$3, was taken from the drawer. The watch in court was the same. The boy had been two years and a half in the house—at first as an approntice, and lately as Mr. Grote's special boy.

William Blan, a clerk in the same employ, stated that earlier the same evening he was at work at his deak, his office being opposite to the one the last witness occupied, and his back was to where the key of that office was kept. While writing he heard something drop, and turning round he saw the prisoner stooping down to pick up the key mentioned. He tried to avoid letting witness see the key by covering it with his sleeve, and as an excuse where the dogs were. Witness said, "Put Clymont, E. Mackintosh, and R. R. Jukes, had not got it, but on witness repeating the same words, he put it back and went out. He had come in so quietly that witness had not heard him, and should not have known he was there had he not dropped the key in taking it. At 8 o'clock witness went upstairs to dinner; and shortly after he heard the last witness call out below. He rushed out and saw somebody run past in the direction of the servants' stairs to the dining room, and he ran up there, but saw no one. He at once ran to the servants' room and met the prisoner just coming out, and seized him. He called in a constable.

P.C. Alexander McGregor gave evidence to the last wither calling him into the house and isoner in custody there the prisoner was searched a pawn ti. watch was found on him, and in his how two kevs were found. There was nothing else which could have relation to this case Lan Sing, accountant at the Mi Tak pawn shop in Gough-street, stated that at 3 p.m. on the 27th inst.; the prisoner pawned the watch in

court at his shop for 55 cents. The case was remanded to to-day. ASSAULT BY SOLDIERS George Taylar and Thomas Aller, privates of The Buffs, were charged with assaulting a coal coolie named Wan Wong near the McGregor Barracks, on the 27th inst. It was alleged that the defendants without provocation first knocked the coolie's hambon hat

off, and then beat him with a cane, knocked him down, and kicked him. The second defendant denied baving taken any part in the affair, and the first said he struck the coolie because he took up a brick after he knocked his hat off and menaced him with it. The complainant'sstory was corroborated by another coolie and a constable, and both 'defendants were convicted and fined \$10 each and \$1 each amends to the coolie, or in default three weeks' hard labour.

CURRESPONDENCE.

We do not hold ourselves responsible for the opinions expressed by our Correspondents. KWANGTUNG INUNDATION

- RELIEF FUND. TO THE EDITOR OF THE "DAILY PRESS." DEAE SIR.—I shall feel very much obliged if you will kindly insort in your next issue the enthe subscribers have not yet been published.-

J. H. STEWART-LOCKHART

Hongkong, 28th October, 1885. Macao, 12th October, 1885. My dear Lockhart-I send you herewith Macso subscription list to Inundation Fund. Mortimor Murray ...

Of which I remit you \$50 as advised in another letter, and would ask you to collect \$5 from J. The Chinese had already collected \$30,000 here, which has almost drained poor Macao.-

A. M. Cardoso, Secretary-General

MORTIMER MURRAY. FOOCHOW.

Of all conceivable mediocre exhibitions, commend me to the funeral pageant of an eminent Chinese statesman. The removal of Tso's re-

Chun Akun said she was an inmate of alicensed | Several members of the murderous gang the second defendant (Carberry) stayed with in my last are still at large, but it is satisfactory.

Vicercy of Fokien, has been sitting for some official will be brought to Foodhow and tried; if Our amateurs repeated the burlesque of

"Romeo and Juliet" a few evenings ago, and with still greater success than on the first repre-George Lemon, boarding Lowse keeper, was sentation. H.M.'s representative was present

and had to submit to no small amount of chaff from some of his lady friends, when Capulet senior | respecting the internal condition of Russia. appeared on the scene. In reply to the question | Russian journals express the opinion that the whether he did not consider the take-off splen- conference of Ambassadors at Constantinople on did, he replied "I don't think it's very funny," the Roumelian question will be resultless. which simply made the audience shrick and brought down the house.

in 33 hours and 45 minutes, thus beating her last | to Turkey. fast trip by nearly an hour. We have H.M.S. Rambler and Firebrand in port. The commander

is all one can wish. The American ship Raphael | Eastern Roumelia has been assimilated with that is loading tea for London, a thing which has not of Northern Bulgaria. occurred at this port for over twenty years.—N. C. Daily News Correspondent.

LATE TELEGRAMS. The following telegrams are taken from Indian papers :--

THE FRENCH ELECTIONS. PARIS, 7th October. re-elected.

. ABYSSINIAN VICTORY IN THE SOUDAN. CAIRO. 5th October. Ras Alula, the Commander-in-Chief of the Abyssinian forces, who was sent to the relief of Kassala, gained a great victory over the Muli-di's followers on the 23rd September. BLINFORCEMENTS FOR THE SOUDAN.

WADYHALFA, 6th October. The 1st Battalion Berkshires instead of the Dublin Fusiliers will reinforce General Grenfell. THE STRIKE IN LANCASHIRE. LONDON, 7th October.

compromise proposed by the operatives.

THE AMERICAN MAIL.

The O. and O. steamer San Pablo, with dates from San Francisco to the 3rd instant, arrived der arms. It is feared that the King must athere yesterday afternoon. The following items tempt a coup de main before the conference is are taken from our San Francisco files :-THE ROUNIELIAN-TROUBLE.

LONDON, 24th September.

the unity of Bulgaria and Roumelia.

and Roumelia. A prominent Russian General, enough to strengthen the frontier defences of the an abrupt descent in the grade of the street. dictate terms in this fashion and so openly bid in an interview to-day, when asked if it was true empire, but find themselves almost powerless in Here those in advance of the crowd halted an for Gladstone's shoes is quite contrary to all that the Czar seriously intended to support Bul- the face of large demands and very insufficient instant, but being pressed forward by the thou- English political traditions. Even the Birgaria to the extent of going to war with Turkey, means. The greatest interest now attaches to sands behind, stumbled and fell. The crowd mingham Post deserts him. Of Chamberlain's replied that "Russia would declare war against | the attitude of Russia and Austria in the present | swarmed on, with the entire absence of reason or | three nostrums, free primary education is within Turkey the moment the Portest tacked Bulgaria." crisis. It is stated that Do Giers, the Russian control; characteristic of such a crowd in an a measurable distance, but Gladstone is absolute: and added that "the Czar is most emphatic in Foreign Minister, realizes that hostility to Prince emergency. Men, women and children were ly against graduated taxation and doubts the

that Russian troops may be called upon to occupy. Fredericksberg. Many extraordinary rumours. The horror of the scene was increased by the Bulgaria. NEW YORK, 26th September.

for Turkey by paying marked and ostentations | single spark may precipitate an explosion. attention to the Turkish Ambassador. The two Turkish Minister said the Sultan attached in the night. subject of anxious speculation, is now almost | enter Macedonia. to stand. It is freely asserted to-night in Ber- advance of £1,000,000 from Galatea bankers.

New York, 29th September. A Sun's London special says:—The Czar con- Prince Alexander. tinues to be greatly irritated over the Roumelian revolution, and has summoned a council to consider the situation. Among those who have been resulted in Servis demanding an extension of own defence, he said that he commenced his insummoned are De Giers, the Russian Foreign territory. The populace are clamouring for the quiry upon finding that the situation of unpro-Minister, Ignatioff, and Prince Dondonkoff annexation of Macedonia. It is probable, owing tected girls was so desperate that nothing re-Korssakoff, author of the Bulgarian constitute to the large army which Servia has in the field, mained but to compel the House of Commons to tion. De Giers was ordered on Saturday to meet | that she will speedily seize the contiguous terri- amend the law, yet this same House of Comthe Czar at Copenhagen, and another dispatch tory, thus making more difficult a solution of mons was honeycombed with immorality, and was sent him to-day to hasten his movements. the Balkan question. Ignatioff and Dondonkoff Korssakoff, who are The Skuptschina has held several secret sit- of the worst description. The force for which in Central Asia, have been directed to proceed to tings. The Government oppose the project of disreputable houses are recruited could not be St. Petersburg to await the return of the Czar | the Deputies to proclaim King Milan as King of | expected to legislate against their own vices. The to the capital. These preparations have a some- Macedonia. Cavalry to the number of 10,000 legislators were familiar visitors at Mme. Jefwhat ominous appearance, but the feeling in all are being raised from the Landwehr for frontier freys' houses, hence it was hopeless to expect the capitals of Europe is still optimistic, but no | duty. of the Roumelia incident.

question has been disposed of.

London, 28th September.

stantinople immediately. of the proposed meeting of authorsadors at Con-poli, Salonica, and Dedagatch. Marshal Found mercy, were heard all over the house, yet the stantinople be limited to an exchange of news on Pasha has started for Adrianople.

President of that society did not interfere, said the question at issue without any formal voting | The Sultan is receiving counsel from Prince | Mr. Stead, but claimed that the girl consented Lord Salisbury has instructed the British minis-ters at Belgrade, Bucharest and Athens to arge mony with the German Chancellor's suggestions. Mr. Stead then said his last hope was in the the respective Governments to which they are accredited to refrain from action in connection A Herald's London special says: From the showed, even this final resource failed. The with the Roumelian revolution. M. Waddington, in an interview with Lord Salisbury, said
that M. de Freycinet, French Foreign Minister,
powers to hasten the solution of the Roumelian
to a member of the Gazette's staff that she had
that M. de Freycinet, French Foreign Minister,
powers to hasten the solution of the Roumelian
to a member of the King of the Belre-inforcements to be sent there at once. The
SATURDAY, the 31st instant.

For Freight or Passage apply to

VIENNA, 1st October. cautionary measure to prevent the reduction of then Greece, Servia, Roumelia, and Mon-procuress was fined just one-quarter of the sum. The Fovernment is preparing a bill to an supplies in the event of war with Bulgaria, has tenegro must have adequate territorial the King of the Belgians paid her annually for therize he sending of paupers to Congo as (Taking Cargo and Passengers at through rates issued an order prohibiting the exportation of compensation. The position of Great Bri- her services. At this juncture the agents of colonists. Provisions are being made in the for NINGPO, CHEFOO, NEWCHWANG, TIENTSIN,

has had an interview with Emperor Francis sis or Austro-Hungary. The former cabinets are of Mms. Jeffreys on a child 13 years of age.

Joseph and Count Kalnosky, Austrian Foreign equally animated by a desire to hasten, as much as The society was urged to make a public agita-Minister, respecting the attitude of Roumania in | possible, the solution of a question which threa- tion in the matter, and vainly sought assistance | Fifteen native Kingstand eight native princes in | Captain Jackson, will be despatched as above on the event of war between Turkey and Bulgaria, tens to compromise the peace of Europe, and are in the opening inquiry of the. Home Secretary, and around the Congo territory claimed by the has left this city to confer with Prince Bismarck, anxious that the informal conference, now sitafter which he will visit the Czar. His mission ting at Constantinople, should solve the question rescue workers all agreed that this vice had inis for the purpose of having Roumania con- in some manner compatible with the dignity of creased within the last two years. The chapagainst this claim, and they ask the King's prosidered-inviolable and accorded rights similar to the powers which signed the Berlin treaty. But Inin of a great prison had assured Mr. Stead tection against the new protectorate. The those enjoyed by Belgium if hostilities should it is undeniable that the true nature of the Rou- that in one house the fallen children numbered protest is published here at great length. In break out.

A Times correspondent at Constantinople thus raising the whole Eastern question anew, it has May there were forty girls under 12 years of abandon us, but save us from the tyranny and summarizes Turkey's position: Turkey has no again brought to the front the question of age, and in only four cases were their betrayers | ferceity of our enemy, the International Asso- | THE Steamship army ready to march, no stores, no money in the Austrian or Russian preponderance of the Bal- punished. treasury, no administration, no energy. She kan peninsula. must submit to the inevitable.

BERLIN, 1st October. - 1 Do Giers, Russian Prime Minister, and Prince ly supporting Servia. Bismarck, will be to restrain Servia, Greece and Montenegro from attacking Turkey. Otherwould end in a Enropean war.

COPENHAGEN. 1st October. De Giurs, Russian Foreign Minister, has conferred with the Czar on the Roumelian difficulty | the Imperial Foreign Office before granting the | prosecuted for assaulting a mother who consented | men, and finally the Bakoutons attacked the exat Fredericksberg, a village twenty-one miles Servian loan. from this city, the usual summer residence of the |-DISASTER-ATTENDING NILSSON'S RECEPTION Danish royal family.

St. Petersburg, 1st October. The Czar has called a meeting of the Gover-

present month, in order to confer with them

The rumour is current here that the British The Nanzing has just made another smart trip squadron in the Mediterranean has been ordered PHILIPPOPOLIS, 1st October.

Prince Alexander is actively engaged pushing of the former has just come into a fortune, I hear, forward measures for the defensive. Bulgarian and is only waiting his relief in order to go home | troops from Sofia are taking the places of the and set his house in order. May we all be simi- volunteers who have gone to the frontier. Al larly afflicted!

The weather keeps up charmingly, the crops are in excellent condition, and the general health strongthened. The postal telegraph tariff of

CONSTANTINOPLE, 1st October.
The Porte has sent circulars to the powers protesting against the recent action of Prince Alexander in disarming the Mussulman in habitants of Roumelia.

CONSTANTINOPLE, 1st October. The Ambassadors met to-day to consider the Roumelian question at the house of Count Corti, the Italian Ambassador, but adjourned Messieurs Ferry, Brisson, Clemenceau, Cas: without transacting any business of an important and an important an important and an important and an important and an important an sagnac, Lockroy, Rochfort, and Bert have been not yet received formal instructions from their respective Governments.

Paris, 1st October. The Temps says that Russia has decided to recognize the union of Bulgaria and Roumelia; that Germany offers no opposition to the union and that Austria makes the compensation of Servia and Greece the condition of her assent. Nissa, Ist October.

King Milan had a reception at the royal palace to-day. He was hailed by the populace as the ruler of Macedonia. Private conversations with members of the Skuptschins, which was opened to-day by the King, reveals the fact that they The masters at Oldham will not agree to the are ununimously in favour of the extension of

> London, 1st October. The powers have resolved to compensate Servia if the Porte accepts the union between Bulgaria and Ronmelia.

> The Servian Government has 80,000 men unare unable to stand the present heavy drain.

NEW YORK, 3rd October. in-law of Prince Nicolas of Montenegro, as his It has also resulted in obliterating the party is estimated that the mass of people numbered us the a tof the prisoners, on other charges. successor. Prince Karageorgievitch is desirous lines that previously existed in Greek politics. no less than 40,000 persons. Deafening cheers The Novoe Vremya to-day, commenting on the vainly urged the Czar to receive the Bulgarian crushed, bleeding, shrieking and undistinguishating of the scheme for the municipalization of the Nove value of the scheme for the municipalization of the Nove value of the scheme for the municipalization of the Nove value of the scheme for the municipalization of the Nove value of the scheme for the municipalization of the Nove value of the scheme for the municipalization of the Nove value of the scheme for the municipalization of the Nove value of the scheme for the municipalization of the Nove value of the scheme for the municipalization of the Nove value of the scheme for the municipalization of the Nove value of the scheme for the municipalization of the Nove value of the scheme for the municipalization of the Nove value of the scheme for the municipalization of the Nove value of the scheme for the municipalization of the Nove value of the scheme for the municipalization of the Nove value of the scheme for the municipalization of the Nove value of the scheme for the municipalization of the Nove value of the scheme for the municipalization of the Nove value of the scheme for the municipalization of the Nove value of the scheme for the municipalization of the Nove value of the scheme for the municipalization of the Nove value of the scheme for the municipalization of the Nove value of the scheme for the N Roumelian difficulty, hints that it is possible representatives who recently sought audience at ble mass of humanity. are received from Vienna as to the position of demoniac yells of the roughs, who took advant-Austria, and there is a report of the revival of age of the moment to attack and plunder people

The attitude of Germany, which has been the to armed intervention by Russia if the Servians prominent citizen was separated from two daughcertainly defined. There will be no immediate The Porte is hurrying troops from the mari- the bodies trampled almost beyond recognition. interference by Germany, and the Bulgarian time provinces of Asia to Salonica; 2,000 men A woman excitedly searching for her child broke union, having been accomplished, will be allowed left Smyrna to-day. The Porte has obtained an into loud cries on seeing the row of corpses and lin official circles that the union of Bulgaria Gabriel Pasha has been liberated and has left numbering 200, were utterly powerless to prewill be recognized, but that Prince Alexander | Sofis for Constantinople. Part of the Widden | vent the accident or govern the crowd. and other disturbers of the peace of Europe will garrison has been sent to Sofia. This is regardhave to look for punishment after the immediate | ed as proof of improved relations between Bul-

garia and Servia. A number of German officers on the retired list are offering their services to | September 26th says:-At the close of the pro-NISSA, 2nd October. The meeting of the Skuptschina yesterday has sudacity of his revelations. Speaking in his

one seriously expects war as the immediate result | Everything is ready for the entrance of the were greatly stimulated. Mr. Stead further King of Servis into old Servis on the 8th inst. CONSTANTINOPLE, 2nd October. The council of the powers will probably advise The first formal meeting of the Ambassadors ridiculed the idea that any woman became bad the Porte to depose Prince Alexander and to ap- to consider the Roumelian question will be held except of her own free choice. As a cracial test point in his place Prince Waldsmar, brother-in- on Monday next, when Said Pasha, the new of the uselessness of this society, Editor Stead law of the Czar and of the future Queen of Eng. Minister of Foreign Affairs, arrives from Berlin, mentioned to the President a recent case, in land, and to invite the conference to meet at Con- where he has, until the recent change of ministry, which a girl at a house in Trevor square, where been Turkish Ambassador.

without the drawing up of any protocols. Bismarck respecting the Roumelian question, to the birching, and if she got more than she NEW YORK, 2nd October.

would co-operate in limiting the revolution to problem is, to a great extent, hampered by the gians, princes, dukes and M.P.s., many of the strength of the Turkish troops in Tripoli is to Roumelia.

Roumelia. Witnesses be raised to 15,000 men and great energy is to Athens, Belgrade, Bucharest, and Montenegro, were ready to swear to the presence of exalted be displayed in putting the fort there in better The opinion gains ground that a crisis is im- the unpleasant intelligence is transmitted to the personages and high officials in houses of Chel- condition for defence. pending, and that unless the powers intervene cabinets of the great powers that if Eastern sea, when suddenly the proscoution closed the at once, war is inevitable. The Porte, as a pre- Roumelia is to be finally annexed to Rulgaria, case, and on the pre-arranged plea of guilty the tain. France, Germany and Italy in this question | the Purity Society supplied evidence of her- | bill to secure them the means of obtaining a Bratiano, the Roumanian Prime Minister, who is unmistakably very different from that of Rus- rible treatment inflicted by a wealthy customer livelihood.

LONDON, 2nd October.

BUCHAREST, 2nd October. resulting in war.

NEW YORK, 1st October.

VIENNA, 2nd October.

VESSELS ADVERTISED AS LOADING. TO BE DESPATCHED FOR FREIGHT APPLY TO VESSEL'S NAME CAPTAIN. On 31st inst. Hongkong | Butterfield & Swire Jage LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL On or about 29th inst. Jardine, Matheson & Co., Geake Hougkong LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL Glenroy (str.) Carlowitz & Co..... Quick despatch. Croix Hongkong General Berthaut ... LONDON AND HAMBURG. Quick despatch. Carlowitz & Co..... Hongkong Siegener HAVRE AND HAMBURG Quick despatch. Arnhold, Karberg & Co... Hongkong HAVRE, LONDON, &c..... Honne Messagories Maritimes On 3rd Nov. at Noon. MARSEILLES VIA SAIGON, &c. O. Bachrach To morrow, at Noon. Hongkong G. Mettel Pandora (str.) PRIESTE, &c..... On 7th Nov. Russell & Co NEW YORK VIA SUEZ CANAL Hongkong Torbook Energia (str.) Siemsson & Co..... Quick despatch. Mongkong Freeman...... Samuel D. Carleton NEW YORK Quick despatch. Lovitt Russell & Co.... NEW YORK Quick despatch. Pustan & Co..... C. H. Allyn ... Hongkong On 4th Nov., at 4 P.M. SYDNEY AND MELBURNE, &c. Russell & Co..... Green Guthrie (str.).. Gibb, Livingston & Co. .. On 4th Nov., at 4 P.M Johnson Kildare (str.)... ${ t SYDNEY \& MELBOURNE } \dots .$ P. M. S. S. Co...... On 3rd Nov., at 3 P.M. SANFRANCISCO VIA Y'HAMA ... City of Peking (str.) SAN FRANCISCO VIA Y'HAMA | San Pablo (str.)..... O. & O S. S. Co. On 14th Nov., at 3 P.M. Hongkong, Quick despatch. SAN FRANCISCO Russell & Co..... Palmyra Minott Hongkong On 31st inst. Batterfield & Swire Telumon (str.) SHANGHAI Adamson, Bell & Co. On or about 1st Nov. Both well Castle (str.) R. J. C. Tod SHANGHAI Hongkong SWATOW, AMOY, & FOOCHOW | Namon (str.) To-morrow, Daylight. Douglas Lapraik & Co... Westoby..... Yuen Fat Hong On let Nov., Daylight. HOIHOW & PAKHOI Hongkong Danube (str.) Geo. Anderson

tion to Mme. Nilsson by her countrymen here betrayal only depended upon the price. on Thursday last. Since the occurrence Nilsson felt obliged to cancel many engagements. King Thomas William Stead, editor of the Pall Mall dazed condition produced by its awful suddenness | Jarrett, reserves his line of detence.

the Czar that he will abdicate in favour of any select the Russian officers to remain in the Bulgarian in the ascendant, and they are using all the movement of the mass caused a frightful crush, Park to spend the honeymoon. army, and guarantee that Russia will preserve powers of the Government to push forward war | which was horribly intensified by the pressure preparations, and both military and naval forces are of a number of fresh arrivals on the outskirts of ST. Petersburg, 25th September. being put on a war footing as rapidly as possible. the crowd. A rascally gang of roughs helped Chamberlain's speech, Thursday, is likely to the feeling in St. Petersburg regarding the It is evident Greece means to assert herself, and to still further precipitate a calamity by trying damage his authority with his party. After Roumelian question is hourly becoming more she may prove to be one of the most troublesome to work their way through the confused and preaching union and having welcomed Gladstone's warlike. The sympathy of the masses is strong- factors that the powers will have to deal with in chaotic multitude. With a rush like the flow of manifesto, he turns around and declares that unly with the Bulgarians. It is stated that the settling the Balkan difficulties. In Constantino a mighty river the excited mass of people directless his three favourite nostrums are taken up Czar has telegraphed his Minister of War to ple the representatives of the powers are urging ted itself towards some newly built houses. The he will not join any liberal Government. This prepare plans for a campaign in the event of the the Porte to reinforce its frontiers on the north pavement in front of the houses had been torn is regarded as a serious tactical blunder beopening of hostilities between Bulgaria and and west so as to check incipient risings and pre- up and the ground was strewn with building fore the enemy and has created great dis-Turkey, as he is determined to support Prince | vent them from developing into serious warfare. | stone, lime and sand. Just before this uneven | gust, even among Chamberlain's friends. Alexander's scheme of unity between Bulgaria The new Turkish Cabinet officials are willing place was reached the stone pavement ended at That so young a politician should presume to

Affairs, gave a reception to the diplomatic corps ming up Bulgarian matters, the Times concludes climbing the post, while many others seved themat Vienna, and clearly indicated his sympathies thus: The situation in fact is electric, and a selves by breaking windows and entering new houses. They were severely cut by broken glass. LONDON. 3rd October. When the police finally forced a passage and diplomats were almost inseparable during the reception, and found time to have a long and 6,000 Russians have crossed the Danube into 18 persons had been killed in the rush. Most carnest conversation, in the course of which the Bulgaria and reached Roumania by special trains of these were women. Many people are believed to have been seriously injured early in the panio supreme importance to the friendship of Austria. M. De Giers demands that the powers assent by being trampled under the feet of horses. A

it was found that she had gone mad. The police, THE "PALL MALL GAZETTE" SENSATION. NEW YORK, 27th Sept.

A cable special to the World, from London of Stead caused a decided sensation in court by the the present legislation against vice was a fraud

the interference of the law unless its energies stated that he had appealed to the Society for the Protection of Women, but that the President

she was, after being only two weeks confined, Prince Bismarck being opposed to a formal Great activity prevails to-day in all the various tied naked to a post and flogged by a man who conference of the powers on the Roumelian question. Lord Salisbury has agreed that the scope arriving here and as quickly dispatched to Triber flesh fly and blood flow. Her shrieks for

> Mr. Stead then said his last hope was in the magistracy and police, but, as the Jeffreys case

In a South, London-police-court it-was-provedthat one man had assaulted sixteen and another to the defilement of her eleven-year-old daughter. pedition in fleets of cances. Wissman and his Captain Terbook, will be despatched for the In the course of his inquiries the editor came men repulsed them after a hard-fought battle, above Port on SATURDAY, the 7th Nov. across at least four mothers who were anxious to which lasted six hours, killing hundreds of the For Freight or Passage, apply to contract for their daughters sale. Poverty was men and women. The entire region traversed A cable special to the World, from Stockholm. not the only cause of the sales. The tenant of a was found to be very rich in ivory, and was nors of various provinces, to be held during the says:—No event in many years has so profoundly wills at St. John's Wood, praising her daughters' covered with indistribler trees. In shooting a

agitated the Venice of the North as the recep- graces and accomplishments, remarked that their cataract one of Wissman's cances was wrecked LONDON, 26th September. has been so completely prostrated that she has Rebecca Jarrett of the Salvation Army;

Oscar, who has taken very deep interest in the matter, has been active in extending sympathy and relief to the afflicted families. So great was a salvation Army, and Louise Mowrey, defendants the confusion following the calamity that the in abduction case of Eliza Armstrong, were completed for the confusion provided by the confusion of the staff of the confusion following the calamity that the in abduction case of Eliza Armstrong, were completed for the confusion provided by the confusion of the staff of th and it is only to-day, for the first time, that I am | During the proceedings Mr. Stead, acting as | plete the list of wees. The news creates great enabled to cable the particulars with any degree his own counsel, read a document containing his excitement. The Government has acted with THROUGH TO NEW YORK, VIA OVERof definiteness. Owing probably to the fact that line of defence. He claimed that the end which promptness, and is hurrying fuel and provisions LAND RAILWAYS, and TOUCHING AT about the 30th instant.

making her home in England permanently, that he might have been misled by the state- mand, as the famine extends along the entire concluded, because the finances of the country hereafter, the great singer's visit to the beauti- ments of Mrs. Jarrett, who, if she procured the coast, ful capital of her native land was regarded as a girl Elila by false pretenses, as testified to by farewell one and the popular excitement attend- Mrs. Armstrong, had obtained money from him The Bulgarians are angered at the action of . The Sun's London cablegram says: The latest ing her arrival was intense. Crowds of enthu- fraudulently. The magistrate frequently pro-Russian officers in resigning from the Bulgarian | complications in the Balkan troubles come from | siastic countrymen welcomed her at the railway | tested against portions of the document, stating | army, according to orders. The Russians are the rival ambitions of Greece and Servia. The station on Thursday morning and closely attend- that the matter was irrelevant. The magistrate tion to extend her borders southward if there is three concerts, delighting the populace after each fendants, and said nothing could justify their Petersburg advices state that Russia will to be a general scramble for territory or another performance by singing home ballads in front of doings, nor the publication of the nauseous invaded Annam against the French. demand that a conference of the signatory pow. revision of the map of the peninsula. She has the hotel. As early as 7 o'clock in the evening articles in the Pall Mall Gazette. He acquitted ers to the Berlin treaty depose Prince Alexander, displayed a feverish energy in war preparations, people were streaming towards the Grand Hotel. Bromwell Booth and Mrs. Combe of the charge and will suggest Prince Karageorgievitch, son- and this has provoked the joulousy of Greece. When Nilsson arrived, shortly after 9 o'clock, it of indent assault, but committed them as well

SIL CHARLES DILKE'S MARRIAGE.

M2 . CHAMBERLAIN'S PRESUMPTION.

LONDON, 27th September.

Six months ago they had been scarcely heard of A MUSICAL SENSATION. LONDON, 2nd October-The Crown Prince of Germany has become The Sun's London special says:—An incident serious dissensions in the Austrian Cabinet, and right and left. To add to the confusion, the possessed of an overture composed by Frederick which occurred to-day at Vienna is very signifi- there is good reason for believing the report true. only lamp that illuminated that part of the street the Great, and caused it to be performed by a cant. Kalnosky, Austrian Minister of Foreign The Herald's London special says .- In sum- was turned out by a boy, who saved himself by band of Silesian granadiers. The piece proved a success, and has become the talk of musical circles.

> KING LUDWIG'S INSANITY. New York, 22nd September. The Sun's London correspondent says: There is no longer any possibility of doubt that Lud wig II: King of Bavaria, is hopelessly mad. The fact will soon be formally recognized by the Bavarian Lantag, by lits voting to pay the enormous debts of the King, and undertaking a guarantee on condition that the Landtag shall hereters, aged 10 and 12 years. He afterwards found after have absolute control over the finances of the royal households. The King's insanity has lately taken a less fantastic and more furious form. He no longer delights in listening in solitude to costly operas, or in building palaces where they can never be used, but he amuses himself by knocking down his couriers and treating his soldiers and attendants with brutality Recently the King had an attack of toothache, and the leading dentist of Munich was summoned to attend him. The dentist in-

formed his Majesty that the tooth must be extracted and that the operation could not be performed painlessly without the use of chloroform. The King declared that this was a conspiracy to kill him, and refused to submit to an anesthetic, DAYLIGHT. but ordered the dentist to proceed. The dentist extracted the tooth and of course caused some suffering. The King bellowed with pain and reared out, "You regicide, you deserve to be torn to pieces by wild balls." He then made a rush for the dentist, but the latter fled and succeeded in escaping from the palace. THE CAROLINES DISPUTE.

MADRID, 21st September. A better feeling prevails in this city owing to reports having been received from Count Benomer, Spanish Ambassador to Berlin, to the effect that he expects Germany will accept the offer of a coaling station, liberty to trade and the right of navigation among the Caroline Islands as a basis of settlement of the Caroline dispute, the settlement to be made without referring the matter to an arbitrator.

ROME, 28th September. The Pope presided at a meeting to-day, at which Cardinals Jacobini (the Papal Secretary of State), Lawrenzie, Czacki, Ledochowski, Branch, Monaco and Parrochi were present. The only business transacted was the formation of a committee to examine the documents submitted by Germany and Spain in regard to the Carolines

TURKEY LOOKING AFTER TRIPOLI. CONSTANTINOPLE, 28th September. The orte has become alarmed at a report

New York, 29th September.

A Herald cablegram from London says:melian revolution lies in the fact that besides fifty under 10 years of age. In Farnham last its text these native remonstrants say :-- "Do

- PIGHTING CANNIBALS IN AFRICA.

NEW YORK, 3rd October. A dispatch from Berlin says that it is under- a dozen children. There was only one case of A Herald : cablegram from Brussels says: The result of the recent interview between stood in diplomatic circles that Austria is secret- conviction in eight weeks, yet between the be- Dispatches from Congo bring further details of ginning and end of the inquiry accounts of discoveries made by Lieutenant Wissman, who assaults upon forty three girls between the ages found the banks of Rasai River, down to its The King of Roumania has declared that he of 3 and 13 were brought before the courts. junction with the Congo, more thickly populated wise, Austria would, it is thought, certainly has not formed an alliance with either Greece or Every year it is necessary to open new homes for than any other portion of Africa. For fwenty. make a boid strike for Salonica, and possibly for | Servis, and that Roumania only seeks a neutral ruined children in order to give shelter to the four hours Lieutenant Wissman had to navigate Constantinople, causing a blaze in Russia which position in the event of the Roumelian question shattered wrecks of English girlhood. Lust and between crowds of ferocious cannibals. Men hunger found mothers who were willing to sell and women gathered by thousands on the river FOR NEW YORK VIA SUEZ-CANAL. their daughters for cash down. A lady whom banks, shouting, yelling and gesticulating furi. | THE Steamship The Vienna Bank received full sanction from Mr. Stead was proud to call a friend was actually ously. The women were more ferocious than the

and a dozen of his blacks drowned. PEOPLE STARVING IN LABRADOR.

NEW YORK, 3rd October. A special from Ottawa says: It is officially Mme. Nilsson recently bought a handsome house he had in view in carrying out his schemes justi- on board a steamer which will sail by Monday. YOKOHAMA AND SAN FRANCISCO. in London and announced her intention of fied the means he had resorted to. He admitted Several ships will be necessary to meet the de-

> . THE SITUATION IN TONQUIN. Paris, 29th September. say that the Black Flags surround the province | United States and Europe. A JAPANESE PRINCE'S STUDIES.

PARIS, 27th September. A brother of the Mikado of Japan has arrived | Company's and connecting Steamers. here and is studying the constitutions of Europe. He is greatly interested in the republican evolu- France, and Germany by all trans-Atlantic lines of leading an armed force against Servia, and hopes to gain the support of Austria to such a movement.

Philipopolis, 25th September.

It is stated Prince Alexander has telegraphed

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The marriage of Steamers.

London, 2nd October.

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> MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS. RIO DE JANEIRO, 26th September. The Senate and Chamber of Deputies have Japan to Europe." passed a bill for gradual abolition of slavery in | Freight will be received on board until 4 P.M. connection with this paper is the one published

London, 28th September. tween George and Cummings was run to-day. dress in full; value of same is required. Cummings won. The distance was ten miles. NEW YORK, 30th September. last week, was only 13.8 per thousand annually. of Customs at San Francisco. This is the lowest ever recorded.

LONDON, 30th September. At the October meeting at Newmarket the rreat handicap was won by Jane: Hopscotch second, Stourwick third. Eight starters. Durlin, 2nd October.

New York, 3rd October. A Herald London special says:—The principal preign correspondents in Madrid who have ransmitted to their respective newspapers the facts and comments as to what is passing in Spain at the present moment are threatened with expulsion from the Spanish territory within twenty-four hours.

VESSELS ON THE BARTH.

FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL. HHE Steamship

"GLENROY, Captain Geake, will be despatched as above on or about the 29th instant. For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co. Hongkong, 19th October, 1885.

DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED. FOR SWATOW, AMOY, AND FOOCHOW. THE Company's Steamship

"NAMOA," Captain Westoby, will be despatched for the above Ports TO-MORROW, the 30th inst. at For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co., General Managers.

AUSTRO-HUNGARIAN LLOYD'S STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY. STEAM FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG COLOMBO, BOMBAY, ADEN, SUEZ, PORT SAID, AND TRIESTE. Taking Cargo at through rates to CALCUTTA,

Hongkoug, 28th October, 1885.

Persian Gulf, Black Sea. Levant & Adriatic Ports). THE Company's Steamship · "PANDORA,"

Captain G. Mettel, will be despatched as above TO-MORROW, the 30th instant, at Noon. For Further Particulars regarding Freight THE Steamship and Passage apply to the Agency of the Company, Praya Contral. O. BACHRACH,

Hongkong, 17th October, 1885. OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL. THE Company's Steamship

For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents. Hongkong, 24th October, 1885.

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. FOR SHANGHAI DIRECT. HANKOW, and Ports on the YANGTSZE). THE Company's Steamship

SATURDAY, the 31st instant. For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents. Hongkong, 24th October, 1885. CASTLE LINE OF STEAMERS.

"TELAMON,"

FOR SHANGHAL "BOTHWELL CASTLE?" R. J. C. Tod, Commander, will be despatched

for the above-Port on or about the 1st Nov. For Freight or Passage, apply to ADAMSON, BELL & Co., Hongkong, 26th October, 1885.

UNION LINE.

RUSSELL & Co.,

"ENERGIA,"

VESSELS ON THE BERTH

NOTICE. COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES. PAQUEBOTS POSTE FRANCAIS.

STEAM FOR IAIGON, SINGAPORE, BATAVIA, CO-LOMBO, PONDICHERRY, MADRAS. CALCUTTA, ADEN. SUEZ, PORT SAID, MEDITERRANEAN, AND BLACK SEA PORTS, NAPLES, MARSEILLES, AND PORTS OF BRAZIL AND LA PLATA;

LONDON AND ANTWERP, BORDEAUX, LE HAVRE, AND DUNKIRK.

N THURSDAY, the 3rd day of November, 1885, at Noon, the Company's Steamship "OXUS," Commandant Lequerré, with MAILS, PASSENGERS, SPECIE, and CARGO, will leave this Port for the above

Cargo and Specie will be registered for London as well as for Marseilles, and accepted in places of Europe. Shipping Orders will be granted till Noon. Cargo will be received on board until 4 P.M. Specie and Parcels until 3 P.M., on the 2nd November, 1885. (Parcels are not to be sent on board; they must be left at the Agency's here on or about the 31st instant. Office.) Contents and value of Packages are

For further particulars, apply at the Company's Office. G. DE CHAMPEAUX, Hongkong, 22nd October, 1885.

PACIFIC MAILSTEAMSHIP COMPANY.

U. S. MAIL LINE.

THE U.S. Mail Steamer "CITY OF PEKING." will be despatched for San Francisco, vià Yokohama, on TUES-DAY, the 3rd November, at THREE P.M., delayed (both of which are liable to happen Advices from Hanoi, the capital of Tonquin, taking Passengers and Freight for Japan, the occasionally) all that the addressee need do is to

of Bindinh. The cholera is raging at Hanoi. Through Bills of Lading issued for trans- at 7 p.m., or as the case may be, and forward it jeered at and called traitors, and Prince Alex. latter power makes no concealment of her inten- ed her carriage to the Grand Hotel. She gave summed up the case strongly against the de- The average number of deaths daily is thirty. A portation to Yokohama and other Japan Ports, without any other writing whatever, to the Chinese General at the head of a large force has to San Francisco, to Atlantic and Inland Cities | Postmaster General. This should be acted on of the United States, via Overland Railways, to the first time cause of complaint occurs; it is a Ravana, Trinidad, and Demerara, and to ports mistake to let such matters pass for fear of in Mexico, Central and South America, by the giving trouble, a course which generally gives Through Passage Tickets granted to England,

> able for one year, will be issued at a Discount is the only authorised complete Summary of of 25 % from Return Fare. These allowances | Postal information published in Hongkong. do not apply to through fares from China and

on the 2nd November, Parcel Packages will be twice each day in our Extra, which is always received at the Office until 5 P.M. same day; corrected to a much later hour than that given The third and last of the series of races be all Parcel Packages should be marked to ad- below. Consular Invoices to accompany Cargo destined to Ports beyond San Francisco day, the 29th inst., at 11.30 A.M. The Herald's London special says:-It should be sent to the Company's Offices announced that the death rate in London, in Sealed Envelopes, addressed to the Collector inst., at 5.00 P.M.

For further information as to Passage and

Freight, apply to the Agency of the Company, No. 50A. Queen's Road Central. C. D. HARMAN, Acting Agent. Hongkong, 14th October, 1885. The Muuster Bank will re-open on the 15th | OCCIDENTAL AND ORIENTAL STEAM-

SHIP COMPANY. TO JAPAN THE UNITED STATES, MEXICO.

CENTRAL AND SOUTH AMERICA,

AND EUROPE:

THE OVERLAND RAILWAYS, ATLANTIC AND OTHER CONNECTING | the Mails, &c.

THE Steamship "SAN PABLO" will be despatched for San Fraucisco, via Yokohama, on SATURDAY, the 14th November, at THREE P.M. Connection being made at Yokohama with

Steamers from Shanghai and Japan Ports. All PARCEL PACKAGES should be marked address in full: and same will be received at the Company's Office until Five P.M. the day pre- 3.00 P.M.—Vails closed, except for Late Letters vious to sailing. RETURN PASSAGES.—Passengers, who have paid full fare, re-embarking at San Francisco | 3.30 P.M. - when the Post Office closes entirely for China or Japan (or vice versa) within six.

months, will be allowed a discount of 20 %, from Return Fare; if re-embarking within one year, an allowance of 10 % will be made from Return Fare. Pre-Paid Return Passage Orders, available for one year, will be issued at a Discount of 25 % from Return Fare. These allowances do not apply to through fares from China and Javan to Europe. Consular Invoices to accompany Cargo des-

fined to Ports beyond San Francisco should be the Collector of Customs, San Francisco. For further information as to Freight 11 a.m., Mail closes, except for Late Letters. pany, No. 50A. Queen's Road Central. C. D. HARMAN, Acting Agent. Hongkong, 23rd October, 1885. EASTERN AND AUSTRALIAN STEAM

SHIP COMPANY, LIMITED. -FOR SYDNEY. MELBOURNE, AND ADELAIDE. (Calling at PORT DARWIN and QUEENSLAND Ports, and taking through Cargo to New ZEALAND, NEW CALEDONIA, TASMA-NIA, and FIJI).

"GUTHRIE." Captain Green, will be despatched for the abov Ports on WEDNESDAY, the 4th November, is requested that the letters be posted if possible [1865. at FOUR P.M. For Freight or Passage, apply to RUSSELL & Co., Hongkong, 23rd October, 1885.

HE 3/3 L. II German bark "PAPA," Henne, Master, will load here for the above Ports, and will have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co. Hongkong, 22nd September, 1885.

FOR HAVRE, LONDON, AND

HAMBURG.

FOR LONDON AND HAMBURG. THE 3/3 L II French Bark "GENERAL BERTHAUT." Ports, and will have quick despatch.

CARLOWITZ & Co.

Hongkong, 16th October, 1885. FOR HAVRE AND HAMBURG. THE 3/3 L II German Ship Siegener, Master, will load here for the above

For Freight, apply to

Ports, and will have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to CARLOWITZ & Co. Hongkong, 4th August, 1885. FOR NEW YORK: WHE 3/8 L. I.I. American Barque

Captain Freeman, will have quick despatch for 1918 the above Port. For Freight, apply to STEMSSEN & Co. 1822 Hongkong, 9th October, 1885. FOR NEW YORK. ITHE 3/3 L II American Ship.

"SAMUEL D. CARLETON,"

For Freight, apply to Hongkong, 26th October, 1885.

"TITAN,"

Port, and will have quick despatch.

VESSELS ON THE BERTH.

FOR NEW YORK. THE 3/3 L.I.I. British Ship

"NAUPACTUS." Lovitt Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to

RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, 12th September, 1885. FOR SAN-FRANCISCO.

FIRE 3/3 LII American Ship "PALMYRA," Minott, Master, will lead here for the above

Port, and will have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to Hongkong, 27th October, 1885.

MAILS EXPECTED.

THE INDIAN MAIL. The Indo-China steamer Taisana, with the next Indian mail, left Singapore on the 23rd, and transit through Marseilles for the principal may be expected to arrive here on or about the 29th instant.

> THE FRENCH MAIL. The Messageries Maritimes steamer Peiho left Saigon at 3 p.m. on the 27th, and may be expected

STEAMERS EXPECTED.

The steamer Catherstone left Singapore on

the 18th, and is due here on or about the 29th The O. S. S. Co.'s steamer Telamon left Singupore on the afternoon-of-the-23rd, and is due-

here on the 29th instant. The Castle Line steamer Bothwell Castle left Singapore on the 24th, and is due here on or

POST-OFFICE NOTICES.

When Correspondence has been mis-sent or note on the cover. Sent to ---- or Received more trouble in the end.

LOCAL DELIVERY .- No delivery is attempted on board Ship, at the Peak, Kowleon, Aberdeen,

The Postal Guide for 1885, revised to date Fare. Pre-paid Return Passage Orders, avail- p. 393 large edition, p. 657 small edition. This The authorised List of Mails issued in

A MAIL WILL CLOSE. For Manila and Iloilo.—Per Butuan, to-

For Amoy.—Per Camelot, to-day, the 29th For Swatow, Amoy, and Foochow.—Per Namoa, to-day, the 29th inst., at 5.00 P.M. For Straits, Colombo, and Bombay.-Per Pandora, to-morrow, the 30th inst., at 11.30 A.M. For Sandskan and Kudat -- Per Vorwaeris, to-morrow, the 30th instant, at 4.30 P.M.

MAILS BY THE FRENCH PACKET. The French Contract Packet Ozick will TAKING CARGO AND PASSENGERS be despatched on TUESDAY, the 3rd November, with Mails for the United Kingdom, Europe, and places beyond, vid Naples; to Saigon, Straits Settlements, Batavia, Burmah, Ceylon, the Australasian Colonies, Pondichéry, Madras. Calcutta Aden, Mauritins, Egypt. Malta, and The usual hours will be observed in closing

> HOURS FOR CLOSING THE CONTRACT MAILS.

THE ENGLISH MAIL. The following hours are observed in closing Mails, &c., by the British Contract Packet :-Day of Departure.

Noon.-Money Order Office closes. 2.00 P.M.—Registry of Letters ceases. Posting of all printed matter and patterns ceases. 3.10 P.M.—Letters may be posted with late fee of 10 cents until 3.40 P.M.—Late Letters may be posted on board the packet with late fee of 10 cents, until

time of departure. Day before Departure. 5 P.M., Money Order Office closes. Post Office closes, except the night box, which is always open out of office hours.

Day of Departure. A.M., Post Office opens. sent to the Company's Offices, addressed to 10 A.M., Registry of Letters ceases. Posting of all printed matter and patterns ceases. or Passage, apply to the Agency of the Com. 11.10 A.M., Letters may be posted with Late Fee of 10 cents until 11.30 A.M., when the Post Office closes entirely.

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the packet with Late Fee of 10 Cents until

time of departure. LETTERS FOR THE UNITED STATES BY SAILING -When it is desired to forward-letters to the United States by a sailing ship which is not notified as carrying a mail, it is only necessary to post the letters in the ordinary way, marked with the name of the ship, and prepaid 10 cents

per half ounce as usual. The Post Office then

undertakes the duty of obtaining notice of de-

parture and despatching the correspondence. It at least one day before the date fixed for sailing RATES OF POSTAGE. Letters, per & cz. 10 Cents Post Cards, each Books, Patterns, and Commercial 2 Cents. Papers, per 2 oz. Newspapers & Prices Current, each 2 Cents.

10 Cents Do. with return receipt ... Commercial papers signify such papers as, though written by hand, do not bear the character of an actual or personal correspondence, such as invoices, deeds, copied music, &c. The charge is the same as for Books, but all packets of and 1723 mader 4 oz. weight are charged 5 cents.

TOT RESPONSIBLE FOR DEBT Neither the CAPTAINS, the AGENTS, nor tho Croix, Master, will load here for the above OWNERS will be RESPONSIBLE for any DEBT contracted by the Officers or the Crews of the following Vessels during their stay in [1860 Hongkong Harbour :--CITY OF PEKING, Amr. ship, G. G. Berry -P.

M. S. S. Co. Compton, Brit. str., Whitbarn.—Melchers & CONTINUATAL, Amr. ship, Kirby.—Captain. CAMORTA. Dut. str., Oreille.—Jardine, Matheson & Co. COMET, Ger. ship, D. Siegener.—Carlowitz & Co. DORIS, Ger. Str., W. Zorrahn .- Jardine, Mathe-

EMILY F. WHITNEY Amr ship, H. B. Rolling -Gibb Livingston & Co. EDEN, Brit. bk., J. Nairn.—Butterfield & Swire. F. H. Drews, Ger. bk., A. H. Rothbart.-Siemssen & Co. GLENFRUIN, Brit. str., Norman.-Jardine, Ma-— theson-& Co. GREAT ADMIRAL, Amr. ship, B. Thompson.-Captaia. HUNTINGDON, Brit. str., Whitburn,—Siemssen JOHANNA, Ger. bk., Bannon.—Certowitz & Co.

PANDORA, A.-H. str., G. Mettel.—A.-H. L. S. C. H. Allyn, Master, will load here for the above Peking. Brit. str., Henermann.—Siemssen & SHARPSHOOTER, Brit. str., Horne.—Captain. South American, Amr. ship, F. Fowle.—Rus-

| COMMERCIAL INTELLIGENCE. | | | LLY PRESS, TH | | | | | | | • | | |
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| Quotations are: — *** Malwa (New) | OFFICES AND CHAMBERS, No. 7. | WILL you Smoke Five and at the same | | | Bla Bla Car | inkote, 10 lbs., per pair inkote, 12 lbs., per pair | \$4.25,to 4./ \$5.79 to 5./ \$13.50 to 14.0 | 5 Camphor, Refin 5 Cardemons, Sax 6 Cardemons, Inf | orior, por picul | 5 to 135 Peas, Black, set 5 to 135 Peas, Yellow, se 6 to 23.00 Peas, Groon Bea | r pioul, more promise access \$2.60 na, nar pioul, management \$2.60 | 6 to 2.12 3 to 2.81 3 to 2.81 |
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| ON LONDON.— EXCHANGE. | TO LET. (With Possession from 1st October next). | BARGAIN. FIRE PROOF SAFE. | Cotton Yarn, No. 38 to 42 Cotton Yarn, Bombay Chints, per piace | | .50 to: 71.00 Lot | ng Ells, MM Assorted por piece ng Ells, HH Scarlet, por piece ng Ells, HH Assorted, por piece ng Ells, H Scarlet, por piece | ************************************** | U Cotton, Bombay | y, per ploul | to 16.30 Rice, Siam, mile | Out Mate with thrown were fire- | # to 1.00 #0 to 1.42 #7 to 1.90 |
| Telegraphic Transfer 3/54 Bank Bills, on demand 3/53 Bank Bills, at 30 days' sight 3/53 | O. 31, WELLINGTON STREET. GAS AND WATER LAID ON | DEED OR BULLION SAFE just imported, Church's Locks Duplicate | Dwal Spotted Shirtner | Nor piece | Lot | ng Ells, H Assorted, per piece anish Stripes, per yard | \$6.70 to 6.7 \$0.72 to 0.7 | 3 Cotton, Shangu | por pioul | 30 to 17.00 10.00, 531gon, 50 | raw bags \$1.7 | 95 to 2-70 |
| Bank Bills, at 4 months' sight 3/5% Credits, at 4 months' sight 3/5% Documentary Bills, at 4 months' | For Particulars, apply to ROZARIO & Co. Hongkong, 23rd July, 1885. | J. M. ARMSTRONG. | English Drills, 30 yards English Drills, 14 lbs., 1 | , por piece | \$2.55 to 2.65 [ros \$2.45 to 2.50 [ros | m. Nail Road, per picu | \$2.85 to 3. | n Cotton See is, S o Cotton Seeds, S | aigon | No to 18.00 Seawcod, Cut, p 20 to 4.30 Seamum, Whit 10 to 4.20 Seamum, Black | e, por picul | 35 to 2.43 95 to 5.10 45 to 2.5.0 00 to 60.00 |
| ON PARIS.— Bank Bills, on demand 4.33 | TO LET. | MAIL TABLES. | English Drills, 15 fbs., Grey Shirtings, 7 lbs., | , per piece | 11.55 to 1.63 | n, Bar, per picul | \$0.25 to 6: | 5 Cuttlefish, Japa 6 Cuttlefish, Char | n | Sharksing, per Sharksing, per Shorts 16.50 Shortsing, per Shortsing, per Shortsing, per Shortsing, per Sharksing, per Shortsing, per Sharksing, per Sharksin | , per picul | 00 to 89.00 50 to 12.00 00 to 6.5 |
| On New York.— Bank Bills, on demand 832 | Apply to | at and from Lawrence and Harrareana with | Grey Shirtings, 9 lbs., | per piece | \$2.65 to 2.22 | id, LB, per picul id, Hole Chop, per picul icksilver, English, per picul | \$55.00 to 55.3 | Dried Lily Flow | 7978 1718.2.19 17078 1718.2.19 | .5 to 2.8.5 35 to 7.75 Betol Nut. ne | . &c.,— | 17 to 4.20 |
| Bank Bills, on demand | G. C. ANDERSON, 13, Praya Central. Hongkong, 25th August, 1885. [1537 | Anglo-Chinese Calendar can be had at 10 Cents | Charles Clark a series A. | 10 in 10 m | \$1.20 to 1.70 Sta \$1.85 to 1.70 Sta | icksilver, English, per picul icksilver, American, per picul el, English, per tub | \$3.65 to 3. \$4.15 to 4. | Elephant's Tee | th, 7 to 8 pieces | 50 to 300 Pepper, White 10 to 220 Pepper, Black 50 to 1.55 Rattan Strait | te non minut | 25 to 5.45 |
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| Private, 30 days' sight743 SHARES. | Apply to J. D. HUMPHREYS. Hongkong, 24th September, 1885. 1734 | STUDENT'S FIRST ASSISTANCE, By Dr. Devan, With many Additions, Corrections, | White Shirtings, 54 to 60 | road, per piece | \$2.15 to 2.35 \$2.45 to 2.65 Bay | nonds, per pical | \$2.45 to \$1.75 to 2: | Hams, Ordinar Hams, Superior Hemp, Hankov Hemp, Sism, r | y, por piculTls. 17.7; r, per piculTls. 29.5; r, per picul | o to 18.00 Sugar, Shek-lun o to 31.00 Sugar, Shek-lun 50 to 12.00 Sugar, Shek-lun 40 to 14.00 Sugar, Candy | g, White, No. 1, p. pel \$4.5 g, White, No. 3, p. pel \$4.5 g, Brown, per picul \$ Shek-lung, per picul \$3. | 27 to 4.29 27 to 2.9 t 65 to 8.67 |
| Banks.—Some cash sales are reported at 160 per cent. premium. Quotations are:— | TO BE LET ON LEASE. THE COMMODIOUS BUNGALOW at | and Dr. WILLIAMS' Orthography. | White Shirtings, 68 to 80 White Shirtings, 600 rec White Shirtings, 7,000 re White Shirtings, AA, no | Dreed, per piece d, per piece eed, per piece | \$2,80 to 3,30 Bec \$3,45 to 3,50 Bec \$3,20 to 3,25 Bec | che de Mer, per picul | \$30.00 to 55 \$17.20 to 17. | 7apa | n, per plant | 10 to 37.00 Sugar Candy, S | cochow, per picul \$8.7 | 77 to 9.79 |
| Hongkong and Shanghai Bank Shares—160 per cent. premium. Union Insurance Society of Canton, Limited— | L Corner of Castle Road, known as the "Hur." Possession on 1st February Proxime: | Neatly Bound \$.200 | White Shirtings, MH, p. White Spotted Shirtings | erpiose | \$5.30 to 5,32 Bir \$3.90 to 3,95 Bir \$2.45 to 2.50 Bir | da' Nosts, let quality, per picul. da' Nosts, 2nd quality, per picul da' Nosts, 3rd quality, per joul | \$1,650 to 2.4 \$650 to 7 \$75,00 to 5 | 90 Mushrooms, p. 85 Mussels, Dry 9 | or picul | 0 to 46.50 Wheat, Tiental 95 a 9.10 Wheat, Japan, | n per picul | 15 to 2.00 15 to 2.00 |
| S450 per share. China Traders' Insurance Company's Shares— S62 per share. | Hongkong, 9th October, 1885. [1821 | THE TOURIST'S GUIDE. REDUCED PRICE, \$1. Containing the names of all the Articles of | | 300 | \$2,50 to 2,65 Bu | | \$7.60 to 8 | Vista-agrafit-fa | WATERS. | 15 to 7.4 Wood Oil, per 15 to 70 Vindow Glass. | per box | 15.to 3.20 |
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